



Lang undercuts PM on noose referendum call

OTTAWA (CP) — Justice Minister Otto Lang did not obtain the consent of Prime Minister Trudeau or the cabinet before publicly suggesting there be a national referendum on capital punishment.

Lang told reporters Wednesday the issue had still to be discussed in cabinet. He refused to speculate on what cabinet discord might result from his surprise suggestion, which first surfaced in the

news media earlier in the day.

Normally, a minister does not publicly make suggestions on such controversial questions as capital punishment without prior discussion in cabinet or with the prime minister.

Trudeau has opposed a referendum in the past and has not changed his mind, one of the prime minister's chief aides said.

"Lang is entitled to that

opinion but he is not speaking for the cabinet," the aide said.

As a cabinet meeting ended early Wednesday afternoon, ministers refused comment on their colleague's proposal.

Lang tried to play down opposition by Trudeau to the idea of a referendum.

The prime minister has reacted negatively to the suggestion before because "I think he has the view that we

don't ordinarily use referendums," Lang said.

Trudeau said at a news conference last April that Parliament had abolished the death penalty in 1976 "and as far as I'm concerned, the issue is settled."

The cabinet had voted unanimously in 1976 to abolish the death penalty. Regular MPs from all parties were allowed to vote according to their consciences rather than follow partisan lines.

Walter Baker, Conservative House leader, accused the prime minister of having cajoled his cabinet into voting as a block.

"The prime minister's henchmen also used strong-arm tactics on Liberal backbenchers to ensure a victory for abolition during the last Commons vote," Baker said in a prepared statement reacting to Lang's proposal.

Baker described Lang's

suggestion as "a new low for a minister who has made a career of shooting from the hip."

Since the Commons vote, many MPs have said there is widespread discontent in their ridings to abolition. Whenever Conservative MPs, including former prime minister John Diefenbaker, have proposed holding a referendum, the government shot down the suggestion.

In April, a Gallup poll

showed that 82 per cent of those sampled wanted a referendum on capital punishment. Sixty-eight per cent of those polled wanted a return of the death penalty.

Lang said he made his suggestion because there was "discord between the law and what it appears people want."

The minister said he still opposed capital punishment but wanted the government to adopt the attitude of the

majority decision in a referendum.

"In my view, the purpose of a referendum would be to abide by its results."

A national referendum has not been held since the conscription issue during the Second World War. That vote, which allowed the government to draft soldiers despite overwhelming opposition by French-Canadians, caused a serious rift within the country.

SEPT. 22 Carriers set walkout date

ISLAND COUPLE CLAIMS MILLION

A Nanaimo couple Wednesday became the first major Canadian lottery winner from Vancouver Island.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bagley walked into the Western Lottery office in Winnipeg Wednesday and claimed their \$1 million prize from the Provincial draw of July 30.

This marks the first time anyone from Vancouver Island has won \$1 million since lotteries were introduced in Canada.

Lottery officials said that Bagleys waited this long to claim the prize "for reasons of their own."

Bagley is 60 years old and a retired chemical engineer.

His wife Pauline, 56, purchased the prize-winning ticket.

Ford indicted for homicide in Pinto crash

GOSHEN, Ind. (UPI) — A grand jury Wednesday indicted Ford Motor Co. for reckless homicide and criminal recklessness, charging poor design was partly to blame for a fiery auto crash that killed three occupants of a Ford Pinto.

Ford officials immediately denied the charges.

"We believe this unprecedented action was unwarranted and that the company has not violated any of the laws of Indiana," said Henry Nolte, Ford vice president and general counsel, in a brief statement from Ford's Detroit headquarters.

"After we have studied the indictment, we will take appropriate action."

Ford was charged with three counts of reckless homicide, a felony, and one count of criminal recklessness, a misdemeanor. Each count carries a maximum \$10,000 fine upon conviction.

The Elkhart County grand jury did not indict individual Ford officers.

The company was given 10 days to respond to the charges before an arraignment date is set.

Ford has come under criticism for alleged fuel-system design problems in the Pinto. Federal safety experts have charged the fuel-tank and filler-pipe design on the Pinto makes the auto more susceptible to explosions in rear end collisions.

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration figures show at least 59 persons have been killed in fiery crashes involving Pintos.

The indictment was the result of a grand jury investigation into an Aug. 10 crash on U.S.-33 near Elkhart. A Pinto carrying three young women had pulled to the side of the road and was struck in the rear by a van.

The Pinto burst into flames and killed Judy Ulrich, 18, Osceola, her sister, Lynn, 16, and their cousin, Donna M. Ulrich, Roanoke, Ill.

The grand jury refused to bring charges against the driver of the van.

Instead, the panel levelled its sights at Ford, saying the automaker's failure to make fuel-system improvements and repairs was a contributing factor in the deaths.

OTTAWA (CP) — Letter carriers have set a Sept. 22 strike deadline in their contract dispute with the government.

Robert McGarry, president of the Letter Carriers Union of Canada, said Wednesday the 19,000 members have voted 82 per cent in favor of a strike if contract demands are not met.

The union already is in a legal strike position, however McGarry said he is reluctant to order a strike if settlement can be reached without a work stoppage.

"We feel we have to give the government a chance to come back to the table," McGarry said at a news conference.

McGarry said letter carriers have not gone on strike in a contract dispute since 1970.

"The union regrets having to withdraw the services of its members and understands the serious effect of such action. However, the union has made efforts in every way possible to reach a settlement with the employer."

Although the letter carriers are no longer covered by anti-inflation wage guides, McGarry said they are willing to settle for a six-per-cent increase in basic salary as long as there also is full protection from past and future inflation.

Postmaster-General Gilles Lamontagne said later in a news release that his department "will do our utmost to avoid a strike," but acknowledged "we are obviously far apart."

His release said the union

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It's white in Alberta

PINCHER CREEK, Alta. (CP) — The season's first wintry storm brought up to 10 centimetres of wet snow Wednesday to some locations west of this community, 80 kilometres west of Lethbridge.

Recreation and Conservation Minister Sam Bawlf refused Wednesday to comment on whether he has ever used drugs, saying only that "I was young once."

Bawlf made the statement during a news conference after his name was mentioned several times during a drug trafficking trial in Victoria County Court this week.

Attorney-General Garde

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A 19-year-old Duncan youth tried in vain to save his brother Wednesday following a freak accident at a water well drilling site.

Paul Andrew Slade watched in horror as a drilling rig toppled onto Brian Kenneth Slade, 21, as the two prepared to drill a well on a private property seven miles west of Shawnigan Lake Road on the Renfrew Road.

The mishap occurred at 3:45 p.m. An RCMP spokesman at Shawnigan Lake said Slade, also of Duncan, was dead by the time police arrived at the scene.

The accident occurred at a time when Brian was preparing to go on holidays. His father, Kenneth Slade Sr., told the Colonist that Brian and Sandra, his wife of two years, were to have left Friday on a trip to Disneyland.

"I've been in the business 30 years and there's never been a serious accident like this before," said the father, whose firm—

Drillwell Enterprises—employed his two sons. "It was a freak accident."

He said he understood Brian wasn't happy with the original attempt to set the rig up on a slight slope and had used the hydraulic levelling jack to let it down again.

"He was apparently re-arranging the blocks under one leg when the whole thing slipped back on him," Slade Sr. said.

He said he had been told the rig struck his son at the base of the skull, knocking his head off.

"His brother radioed in right away to me and said: 'Brian's been hurt—get an ambulance quick.' Then he went back and got him out."

But it was too late. Brian was already dead or dying.

The father said Brian was well known in the Duncan area. He was a long-time rugby player and had taken part in a game just last Sunday.

\$115 fine for killing black who fetched wrong brand

PRETORIA (AP) — A white man who killed a black man because the black brought him the wrong brand of cigarettes was sentenced Wednesday to pay a fine of \$115 or serve 50 days in jail.

Hermans Louw, 27, was convicted on a charge of assault.

Court testimony shows that Louw and John Mokwena worked for a car rental agency.

Louw told Mokwena to go buy him a pack of cigarettes and Mokwena returned with the wrong brand, witnesses said. That made Louw angry and he hit Mokwena, the court was told.

Another employee of the firm, Mrs. J. P. de Bruto, said Louw kicked Mokwena after he was down. Louw said that was not true.

"Were you cross?" asked Magistrate W. J. Van den Berg.

"Yes," Louw replied.

"Why didn't you do him further injury then?" the magistrate asked.

"I wish I could have," Louw replied.

Passing sentence, Van den Berg said: "A reasonable man could not have foreseen that the blow Louw struck could possibly have led to Mr. Mokwena's death."

He said Mokwena's death,

therefore, would not be considered in imposing the sentence on the assault charge.

CAMP DAVID, Md. (AP) — President Carter, cancelling an appearance at a White House party, intensified his efforts Wednesday to complete a formula for more Middle East negotiations after the Camp David summit talks, which is drawing to a close.

The formula, tentatively entitled Framework of Negotiations, deals with the fu-

ture, for the sake of all public officials, the people could be more considerate."

Asked if he was surprised that he was checked out by police, Bawlf said the police "must always be vigilant," that he did not resent the check and that he was subsequently advised by Gardom that he had been completely cleared.

Bawlf said the major mistake he had made in the past

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SHAMROCKS POUNDED OUT OF CHAMPIONSHIP

Peterborough Red Oaks have returned the Mann Cup to the East for the first time since 1973. A crowd of 5,400, the largest in Peterborough's lacrosse history, was on hand to cheer the Red Oaks to a 14-6 pounding of Victoria Shamrocks in the seventh game of the championship. (Story, picture, Page 20.)

Solo Quebec appeals more to outsiders

OTTAWA (CP) — A recent Gallup public opinion poll shows stronger support for Quebec independence outside the province than inside.

The poll, released Wednesday, said support for separation in the English-speaking provinces has varied between 10 and 14 per cent in the last 18 months.

It showed that 22 per cent of those polled on the Prairies favored Quebec separation,

while 18 per cent of the British Columbians and only eight per cent in Ontario supported Quebec independence.

There were no figures on Maritime support for or against separation.

But only 12 per cent of Quebecers polled were sympathetic to independence for their province, a significant drop in support since a February, 1977, poll which showed 22 per cent in favor.

B.C. 'not serious' so Skagit dam rise proceeding

SEATTLE (AP) — Seattle City Light will proceed with plans to raise the height of Ross Dam, superintendent Gordon Vickery said Wednesday, because B.C. was not serious about negotiations concerning the dam.

The City Light plan to add 36.6 metres to the top of the structure has been opposed by Canadians because it would flood 5,000 acres of B.C.'s Skagit Valley, about 145 kilometres east of Vancouver.

Provincial officials and city representatives have met off and on for several years in an effort to negotiate a settlement.

"I don't think the Canadians have any serious interest in negotiating," Vickery said. "I have not seen any indication in the meetings I have attended or in correspondence that there is a serious effort up there to negotiate."

Carter presses talks

ture of Palestinian Arabs now under Israeli military control and other fundamental issues in the Arab-Israeli dispute, diplomatic sources said.

The sources, asking not to be identified, said the language being drafted is designed to be broad enough to gain approval of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin as well as to

draw Jordan eventually into the U.S.-led peace process.

"We are obviously approaching the final stages," said Jody Powell, the summit spokesman, in an over-all assessment of the eight-day old conference among the leaders of the United States, Egypt and Israel. "I can't imagine any more intensive period of discussions."

Bawlf was also asked if he had ever seen the police report prepared in 1976. He said he had not. Asked if he would object to publication of the report, he answered: "I have no objection to anything the attorney-general sees fit to make public."

Asked if he had ever used

When the world turned its back

The West conspired with Hitler to stem flood of refugees to Palestine

LONDON (Reuter) — Six months before the outbreak of the Second World War, in which six million Jews were exterminated, Britain asked Nazi Germany to stop unauthorized Jewish emigration, says Martin Gilbert, Sir Winston Churchill's biographer.

In a history of the emergence of Jewish statehood, Gilbert records that the foreign office instructed Sir Neville Henderson, British ambassador in Berlin, to make a joint approach to Nazi authorities with his U.S. colleague aimed at checking illegal Jewish migration to Palestine.

"Henderson did as he was instructed," Gilbert writes in his book published today, "urging the German government to check unauthorized emigration of Jews from the German Reich."

GILBERT HAS already published three volumes of his authorized biography of Britain's wartime prime minister, who was an early supporter of Zionism.

In Exile and Return, Gilbert uses quotations from cabinet papers and foreign office telegrams to document the largely successful attempts Britain made before,

during, and after the war to limit Jewish migration to Palestine for fear of alienating the Arabs.

Two considerations dictated this policy: concern for Britain's supplies of Arab oil and fear of disaffection among the massive Moslem population of the British Empire if an anti-Arab policy were pursued.

AS THE mandate power in Palestine, Britain had the prime responsibility for deciding whether the Middle East would provide a refuge for Jews fleeing Nazi tyranny.

But Gilbert makes clear that, with a few such honorable exceptions as the Netherlands, Denmark and the Dominican Republic, the reaction of world governments to the plight of the Jews was as negative as Britain's.

Preoccupied with domestic unemployment and economic problems and fearful that substantial Jewish immigration would inflame anti-Semitism, Western governments opened their doors to only a trickle of Jewish refugees from Hitler.

GILBERT WRITES that, given the pre-war quota for

the admission of German and Austrian refugees to the United States, an earlier haven for millions of east European Jews, it would have taken 20 years for all the Jews in the Third Reich to find asylum in America.

Nor could the Jews look for salvation in the East. The British consul in Moscow wrote in January, 1939: "An infinitely larger number of Jews have been executed in the Soviet Union in the last two years than in Germany under the National Socialist regime, while an equal if not larger number have been placed in the concentration camps."

Gilbert's dispassionate account of how the world, through ignorance, indifference, political calculation or anti-Semitism, abandoned Europe's Jews to their fate under the Nazis helps explain why Israel today rejects any proposal that would entrust its survival as a state to international guarantees.

GILBERT SAYS British efforts to check the flight of Jews from Europe to Palestine, where they would have tilted the population balance against the indigenous Arab inhabitants, were extensive and intense and had the sup-

port of the late King George VI.

Apart from the approach to the Nazis themselves, pressure was brought to bear on Romania, Greece, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia, and Turkey to check the flow of refugees.

In February, 1939, the king's private secretary told the foreign secretary: "The king has heard from Lord Gort that a number of Jewish refugees from different countries were surreptitiously getting into Palestine, and he is glad to think that steps are being taken to prevent these people leaving their country of origin."

BRITISH EFFORTS against salvation continued after the outbreak of the war. Malcolm MacDonald, then colonial secretary, blocked the admission of 20,000 Polish Jewish children to Palestine during the first month of the war.

The minutes of a government meeting gave this reason: "However brutal it may sound, to remove 20,000 children from Poland at this moment would be tantamount to a corresponding extent to the German economic problem."

Under the pressure of wartime events, even Churchill, who had supported the Zionist cause since the days of the historic Balfour declaration in 1917, modified his policy.

Although Gilbert records Churchill's continued concern that Jews who managed to flee from Europe be treated humanely, the war cabinet under his leadership decided in March, 1942, that "all practicable steps should be taken to discourage illegal immigration into Palestine."

FOUR YEARS later, addressing the House of Commons as leader of the opposition, Churchill said, "No one can imagine that there is room in Palestine for the great masses of Jews who wish to leave Europe."

But Gilbert's quotations from Churchill show him to have been free of the anti-Semitism which, in the days before the wartime holocaust, some British officials expressed without inhibition in letters and memoranda.

The documents on the conflicting commitments which Britain gave during the First World War to the Jews in the Balfour Declaration and to the Arabs in financing and arming their desert revolt against the Turks support the thesis that the government was motivated primarily by wartime expediency rather than deliberate duplicity.

AT THE height of the country's imperial power, for many Britons, Jews and Arabs alike were, in the words of Kipling, "lesser breeds without the law."

This viewpoint was summed up with succinct brutality in a comment by the chief of the Imperial General Staff, Sir Ghenry Wilson, at a 1920 international conference on the Middle East: "The whole lot, Arabs, Jews, Christians, Syrians, Levantines, Greeks, etc., are beastly people and not worth one Englishman."

Carriers set to strike

request regarding an inflation guarantee "certainly requires clarification."

"The government, like any other employer, cannot fund the entire cost of these externally-generated increases through adjustment in employee compensation," his release said.

The release also said wages and benefits received by the letter carriers "are already above the existing average conditions and remunerations of comparative workers in the private sector."

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Union and government negotiators have been unable to agree on the size of the basic cost-of-living allowance and the type of formula that should be used to determine future increases in the cost-of-living allowance.

Qualified letter carriers with two years' experience now are paid \$6.65 an hour.

In addition to the basic salary increase, the union has asked for a cost-of-living allowance of 65 cents an hour to cover past losses to inflation.

The government's nominee on a three-member mediation panel said the government is prepared to continue the current cost-of-living allowance of 46 cents an hour.

Union negotiators also have asked for a cost-of-living adjustment clause which would increase the allowance by one cent an hour every time the Consumer Price Index goes up by 0.35 per cent over its July 1, 1978, level.

The government has proposed a cost-of-living formula which would take effect only after the inflation rate rose six per cent over its July 1 level.

The last contract expired June 30 and the government is proposing a new 18-month agreement.

"The monetary settlement sought by the union is not excessive or inflationary," McGarry said. The country also could be faced with the prospect of a strike by mail sorters and postal clerks this fall. The Canadian Union of Postal Workers will be in a legal strike position after a conciliation board issues a report in their dispute.

There are no plans for joint strike action, however.

"Our strike will be our own strike and our settlement will be our own settlement," McGarry said.

Western winners

WINNIPEG (CP) — Five tickets worth \$100,000 each in the Western Express lottery were drawn Wednesday night.

The top tickets are 48034 in series 31; 61518 in series 19; 38378 in series 34; 17364 in series 34; and 81877 in series 01.

Tickets with the same numbers in any other series are worth \$1,000. There are 113 such \$1,000 tickets. Cash prizes of \$100 go to holders of tickets with the last four digits of the winning numbers. Holders of tickets with the last three digits of the winning numbers win \$25.

The following are the 100 lucky numbers from the

bonus draw. Holders of tickets with numbers exactly matching the following numbers win \$5,000 apiece:

1223277; 2579387; 1432773; 1563297;
2075866; 3091371; 1647721; 2426532;
1881004; 1915437; 2951839; 3470644;
1532741; 1912389; 3817828; 1562895;
4496663; 1495812; 2781722; 2962190;
1532922; 3655237; 2288733; 3471875;
1381945; 3441021; 1381040; 1472822;
2242600; 3093877; 2795487; 2339049;
3876203; 2763235; 2962677; 3795883;
3476192; 2941437; 4149722; 3640416;
2737731; 4058235; 2177742; 2527007;
1575666; 3160753; 2715554; 4482254;
1076666; 4266324; 1461611; 2613460;
1399103; 4145843; 2327599; 3874964;
1738053; 3367165; 1894464; 1316162;
1235691; 4556671; 2392886; 1661472;
1997261; 2534346; 3877131; 4322280;
2098808; 4126250; 3868951; 2586339;
2018881; 2436346; 3424914; 2396308;
2646667; 1245452; 4485683; 3179911;
2767626; 4347024; 3038738; 2438305;
2354499; 1398818; 2778710; 2579847;
4370595; 2370967; 3479761; 3406141;
1519106; 1538412; 2466725; 2299853;
1421752; 3130389; 2379320; 2621779.

The weather

Sept. 14, 1978

Cloudy, a few periods of rain in the evening. Winds mainly light southeasterly. Wednesday's precipitation: 3.8 mm. Sunshine 24 minutes. Recorded high and low at Victoria airport 16 and 8. Today's forecast high and low 18 and 8. Today's sunrise 6:49, sunset 7:39. Moonrise 6:22 p.m., moonset 4:00 a.m. Friday outlook: cloudy.

East coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy, a few periods of rain in the evening. Winds mainly light southeasterly. Wednesday's precipitation: 3.8 mm. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo 16 and 8. Forecast high and low 18 and 8. Friday outlook: cloudy.

West coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy, periods of rain in northern sectors spreading to southern sectors in the afternoon. Winds increasing southeasterly. Forecast high and low at Tofino 16 and 10. Friday outlook: cloudy, a few showers.

North coast of the Mainland — Cloudy, a few periods of rain. Winds brisk southeasterly. Forecast high and low 15 and 8. Friday outlook: a few showers.

Extended outlook, Saturday through Monday — showers and cool. Highs 15 to 18. Lows 7 to 9.

READINGS

	Max	Min	Precip
St. John's	12	6	—
Halifax	12	7	—
Fredericton	16	7	—
Charlottetown	10	7	—
Montreal	16	2	—
Ottawa	17	6	—
Toronto	16	8	—
Thunder Bay	11	8	10
Windsor	13	11	—
North Bay	11	6	16.8
Kenosha	17	7	33.2
Winnipeg	12	7	—
Churchill	17	5	—
The Pas	12	5	—
Brandon	10	5	0.8
Regina	10	1	1.4
Saskatoon	9	4	9.9
Prince Albert	9	3	3.8
North Battleford	9	3	0.8
Swift Current	9	1	1.6
Medicine Hat	10	5	2.8
Calgary	12	5	—
Lethbridge	17	9	—
Edmonton	11	5	—
Calgary	17	10	—
Calgary	18	13	0.2
Revelstoke	18	10	0.4
Vancouver	16	10	12.2
Prince Rupert	16	10	7.4
Terrace	13	9	8.8
Stewart	17	11	22.8
Port Hardy	17	11	14.4
Tofino	17	11	14.4

Combs 17 16 3.2

Prince George 19 2 —

Williams Lake 19 2 —

Kamloops 17 9 —

Dawson City 18 7 —

Whitehorse 15 8 —

Port Nelson 15 5 —

Port St. John 18 5 —

Peace River 13 4 —

Yellowknife 13 4 —

Inuvik 15 7 —

Seattle 16 11 0.5

Spokane 16 7 —

Portland 16 12 5.1

San Francisco 21 13 —

Los Angeles 22 19 —

Phoenix 34 21 —

Las Vegas 33 14 —

Chicago 22 20 —

New York 20 13 —

Miami 22 24 —

TIDES AT VICTORIA

(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
H	M	Ft	H	M	Ft	H	M
14	0635	2.2	1410	7.6	1845	6.1	
15	0655	3.0	1305	8.5	1845	5.6	

TIDES AT NOOK

TIDES AT SOOKE							
	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time
	M	Ft.	M	Ft.	M	Ft.	M
14	0605	2.9	1240	8.2	1800	6.3	2325
15	0610	8.1	0720	2.5	1410	7.7	1945

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

17	0220	7.9	0845	3.3	1315	8.0	2120
18	0220	8.8	0845	4.4	1455	9.2	2125

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
M	P	M	P	M	P	M	P
14	0105	9.5	0820	2.1	1550	10.5	2315
15	0230	9.6	0905	2.9	1620	10.5	2200
16	0305	9.7	0955	3.4	1655	10.5	2200
17	0435	9.9	1045	4.1	1720	10.5	2315
18	0535	9.9	1130	4.9	1755	10.5	

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Police find witnesses in spy-style stabbing

LONDON (AP)—Police said Wednesday they had found witnesses who might be able to corroborate the death-bed statement of Bulgarian defector Georgi Marcov, who claimed he was stabbed spy-style with a poison-tipped umbrella.

Marcov, a 49-year-old writer and employee of the BBC, died of blood poisoning Monday in a London hospital.

Before he died he said he was stabbed in the right leg last Thursday by a man with an umbrella.

Marcov said the man, who spoke with a thick foreign accent, apologized and then left the scene in a taxi.

Police stopped hundreds of taxi drivers Wednesday in the vicinity of the alleged umbrella incident.

Marcov was a well-known writer in Bulgaria before his defection in 1969 while on a film project in Italy. He came to Britain a few months later, went to work for the BBC and married an Englishwoman also working there. They have one daughter, Sasha, aged 2.

His widow Annabel told the British Press Association on Wednesday she was convinced her husband did not die of natural causes.

"I have no doubts he was murdered, and there was every reason why someone

should want him killed," she said. "His work was the motive."

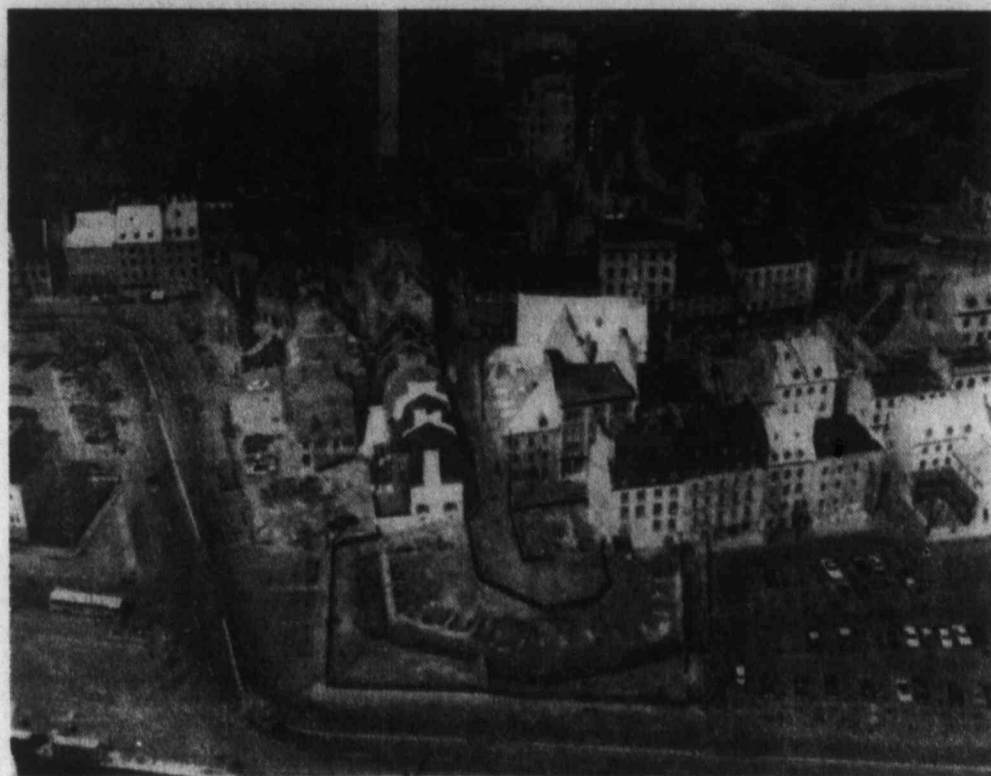
She said Marcov once was a friend of Bulgarian head-of-state Todor Zhivkov but decided to leave the country because he feared for his safety.

"He was beginning to overstep the mark politically in his writing," Mrs. Marcov said. "It was his relationship with the president which probably kept him out of danger as long as it did. His defection caused rage and shock in Bulgaria. He had been afraid for years. Very close friends often teased him that he was paranoid. We

know now that he was right."

Mrs. Marcov said her husband's anti-communist broadcasts had become stronger since last year when his father fell ill in Bulgaria. Marcov and his brothers asked permission to return to be with him but were refused.

"Georgi was so incensed by his father's death that his broadcasts for Radio Free Europe became absolutely vitriolic," she said. "He named mistresses of the high-ups, really smearing mud on the people in the inner circles. His father's death made him more and more angry and determined to cause embarrassment."



Four armed escapers hijack plane, truck

MORO, Ark. (AP)—A single-engine airplane, hijacked by four Tennessee prison escapees armed with pistols and a shotgun, landed Wednesday night in eastern Arkansas, after the escapees shot their way to freedom wounding a guard and a fellow prisoner.

Arkansas State police Sgt. Jerry Reindol said that after the green-and-white Cessna 182 landed in a field near Moro in Lee County, the con-

victs commandeered a pickup truck and its driver Ricky Rutledge and sped toward Brinkley on Arkansas highway No. 139.

The pilot was released unharmed, ending a five-hour ordeal.

Dickson, Tenn., police dispatcher Larry Bruce said the fugitives were residents of Turney Centre, a state correction department minimum-security facility 40 kilo-

metres away at Only. They were in Dickson, he said, for an outing to a bowling alley.

The escapees went into a restroom at the bowling alley and came out armed with the shotgun and exchanged fire with the guards.

A woman worker at the bowling alley's concession stand was taken hostage and the fugitives drove off with her in a stolen car. The woman was released unharmed at the airport.

Future of past in doubt

There are going to be words about this. Scene is Place Royale restoration project in old Quebec City which has been criticized by some as false and like a movie set. Quebec cultural affairs minister Denis Vaugeois has announced symposium to discuss future of multi-million-dollar project.

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No options for Jack Davis

THE VOTE of confidence given MLA Jack Davis by the directors of the North Vancouver-Seymour Social Credit Association immediately following his conviction in court for fraud is an understandable and human gesture of sympathy and loyalty.

But it is unrealistic. It would be wrong for Mr. Davis or anyone else to interpret it as meaning he remains a suitable representative in the legislature for the people in his riding.

Mr. Davis is right in terming the guilty verdict "catastrophic" for him. Unless the conviction is overturned on appeal, there is simply no question he should resign his seat in the provincial legislature. It may be that the provincial Constitution Act, which deals in less-than-clear language with what is improper conduct by MLAs, will require him to. He should, in any event.

There is a vital tradition in our parliamentary process of members resigning, not just when forced to by statute, but whenever there is a reasonable doubt of their integrity or competence in the public mind. The federal labor minister, John Munro, recognized that tradition last week when he resigned. So did George Kerr, the solicitor-general in Ontario, when he also resigned. Neither man had been convicted in court of an offence. Their improper conduct was none the less real for that.

However unintentioned the fraud he has been convicted of, there is certainly a real question in the public mind now about the competence of Jack Davis.

The need remains

THE TRAGIC CRASH of the AirWest twin-engine Otter which took the lives of 11 persons earlier this month is the latest in a series of disasters which has hit the local commuter service.

Although the cause of the accident has yet to be determined there is little doubt that the air line — which has never enjoyed great popularity among the city fathers of either of its main British Columbia coastal city bases — is in deep trouble. The mayor of Vancouver and the acting mayor of Victoria have both called for a suspension of the company's licence.

However, all flights are still being continued on normal schedule as there is no indication that AirWest has in any way contravened air regulations.

Nevertheless the unhappy incident will give considerable weight to the many arguments put forward over the years by residents, environmentalists, pleasure boaters, and others who, for one reason or another, oppose the operation of the air service in the downtown harbor areas.

Whatever views are held by these detractors, the AirWest operation between the province's capital and the mainland has more than proved the need for a faster and better service than at present being offered by the larger airlines operating between the Victoria and Vancouver International airports.

Unless and until Air Canada and Pacific Western improve their scheduling, the need will remain.

Sailing alone

THE BASIC LESSONS life teaches us are often both dramatic and painful. So it was for an American university dean who has just completed a solo voyage across the Atlantic.

For 51 days, while sailing in his 30-foot ketch from Nova Scotia to Ireland, Carl Jackson had only himself for company on the heaving seas.

"I found the loneliness of the second month almost excruciating," said the 55-year-old dean of libraries at Indiana University. "I always thought of myself as self-sufficient but I found life without people had no meaning. I had a definite need for somebody to talk to, someone real and alive and breathing."

Most of us like to think of ourselves as independent. Sometimes we mistake that for meaning we don't need anyone else. At times like these, like Carl Jackson, we're ripe for one of life's painful lessons.

What young Germans know about Hitler

By WOLFGANG KOSCHNIK

Adolf Hitler was born in Austria around 1889 or 1893. He was an Italian half-Jew and later joined the Christian Democrats.

During the First World War, he tried to dodge military service by moving to Germany — but Reich authorities drafted him just the same.

During the war he loitered behind the lines, spending most of his time washing dishes. After the war, he happened to drop into a beer joint in Munich. A Communist party, the NSDAP, was holding a meeting there. It had split off from the Social Democratic Party and it was a leftist-extremist organization. Hitler made himself the Fuehrer of the party.

All of a sudden, Hitler rose to power because he was the only one who knew how to tackle the unemployment problem.

He was a very generous German king. His deputy was Bismarck, who has been languishing in an East German dungeon for more than 30 years.

Immediately, Hitler took vigorous action: he declared mass unemployment strictly verboten, he built autobahns and Volkswagens and he also made the first landing on the moon. Criminals were sent to prison. Everything was clean and in perfect order in Hitler's Germany.

The Reich began to thrive under his rule. For example, nobody had to fear finding his children throttled or his mother raped when he came home from work. And of course everybody could walk in the streets without being mugged. Hitler saw to it that the streets were emptied of hippies and terrorists.



of prostitutes and cripples, of Communists and of other riffraff.

He dubbed his enemies Nazis and had them put in gas chambers. He also made one whale of a mistake killing 50,000 or so Jews, because later this turned out to be very detrimental to the reputation of the Germans.

Later he waged the 30 Years' War, which was also called World War. He was the greatest military leader of all times and he conquered many, many countries for his fatherland. He never lost a battle.

Konrad Adenauer was one of his friends.

Later he turned nuts and was betrayed. At the end of the war, he jumped down from a dam in the Ruhr area and died.

But he may also have managed to escape and run around as a madman in Russia or in Argentina. He is also said to have founded the Federal Republic and to have built the Berlin Wall.

Believe it or not, this is what young West Germans between 13 and 21 know about Hitler — regardless of their education.

When this strange image of Hitler gradually took shape as a result of a large-scale analysis of 3,042 compositions by students of secondary and elementary schools on "What I Hear About Adolf Hitler," the analyst, education scholar Dieter Bossman, was convinced at first: "They are trying to lead me up the garden path." But they were, on the contrary, offering the very best of their knowledge.

The notion West Germany's younger generation has of Hitler and the Nazi era is casual to the point of amusing if it were not for the barbarous historical truth. And it is blatantly erroneous. It is an almost romantic malarkey that belittles and warms the reality of the Nazi tyranny.

Obviously, the majority of the young Germans do not feel much, if any, repugnance against Hitler. They also do not seem to like him. They all tend to agree that Hitler and Germany's Nazi past are none of their business. For them, Hitler is an historic figure like any other, and apparently one that combined traits of Napoleon, Count Dracula and James Bond.

But from the murkiness of the Hitler image, a few heinous stereotypes emerge that are indeed commonly held in West Germany: Hitler was a leftist. But he also did many good things, like abolishing mass unemployment, building autobahns, pursuing a vigorous law-and-order policy. Mass murder of Jews is judged in terms of "success." Even his "landing on the moon" is not just mere nonsense. The underlying implication is that it became possible only

because the first long-range missiles were developed by the Reich's war machinery.

Vergangenheitsbewältigung (overcoming the past) is, in many ways, the key word in Germany's intellectual postwar history. The very terminology suggests that the Germans rather strove for putting the Nazi past out of their minds than for coming to terms with it.

Amid public debates over the problem of collective guilt, which rather served the purpose of negating than of clarifying it, the post-Nazi Germans focused their minds on the Wirtschaftswunder and the accumulation of wealth although, grudgingly, they deigned to admit of a certain collective responsibility.

As a consequence a public attitude of avoidance coupled with a private attitude of winking indulgence became the predominant stance with which the Germans tried to dismiss both the monstrosities of the Nazi period and their own involvement.

Hitler and Hitlerism are box-office hits in West Germany today. Millions of Germans have been trooping to the movies to see Joachim Fest's film "Hitler — A Career." This film conveys a superficial impression of Hitler's stunning mass appeal rather than offering an explanation for it. It portrays a Fuehrer who hypnotized millions of Germans by playing his histrionic skills to perfection. Stagnation was an element in Nazi propaganda, of course, but the theatre alone explains nothing at all. Reproduction of Hitler's onetime fascination in the film simply quenches oblique efforts at explaining the rise of National Socialism.

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Democracy totters along in crime-ridden Columbia

By ROD CHAPMAN

In the countryside, guerrilla groups such as the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia have exploited discontent to establish a strong base.

Guerrillas have seized army posts and local radio stations and kidnapped landowners and foreign businessmen. The city of Cali was placed under military control for a time last year in an effort to stamp out guerrilla raids.

As it is, the country has been ruled democratically but under a permanent state of siege for the last 30 years. The measure was introduced following the assassination in Bogota of liberal leader Jorge Gaitan, whose death provoked the sacking of the city and a five-year period of blood-letting between liberals and conservatives (known as "la violencia") which cost over 200,000 lives.

The two major parties have ruled the country almost alternately during the last 20 years under a "national unity" clause in the constitution designed to prevent any recurrence of the violence.

The new cabinet is a mixture of liberals and conservatives, an obvious attempt to shore up the political status quo. But aspersions are already being cast on the new president's electoral pledges: opponents accuse him of maintaining strong links with the Colombian underworld.

Should Colombia degenerate into further chaos, extremist movements are shuffling in the wings. A former head of the armed forces launched a national renovation party during the election campaign whose efforts proved largely fruitless. But Colombian democracy cannot have too many last chances left.

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An eye in the sky watches smugglers

By KEITH HINDLEY
The London Observer

NEW YORK — In its continuing battle with the drug smugglers, the United States Drug Enforcement Administration has gained four powerful new allies in the shape of two navy and two NASA earth satellites. The spacecraft have already proved their worth in recent anti-smuggling investigations.

In one operation, named Stopgap, boats and small ships thought to be carrying drugs were tracked round the clock by two navy ocean surveillance satellites. Agents in Colombia, the clearing centre for South American drugs, had reported possible carriers as they left port, and those with clandestine cargoes were tracked by satellite as they moved into position about two hundred miles off the American coast. Instead of meeting the expected small boats and yachts, they were boarded and searched by Coast Guard crews.

During last winter and spring, 40 ships were successfully tracked and boarded and 220 arrests were made. Over 500 tons of drugs, mainly marijuana, worth more than \$400 million on the open market, were seized. This reduced the supply reaching the U.S. by a third and quadrupled the Colombian wholesale price of the drug.

In a second operation, a new communications system has completed a six-week trial along the Mexican desert border. This wilderness has always been almost impossible to police. Roads are few and the mountains frequently block out radio communications during investigations.

The new equipment changes all that. It can be carried by any vehicle and allows agents to talk direct with headquarters via NASA communications satellites over the Amazon and south of Hawaii. And the agency headquarters can follow and pinpoint precisely the position of field teams to within 200 yards, even in the desert wilderness.

The Drug Enforcement Administration in the U.S. is to repeat the tracking of suspect vessels when the new smuggling season gets under way in December and satellite communications equipment is to be fitted to agency and Immigration Service vehicles as a matter of urgency. The aim is to cut drug imports by nearly half during the 1978-9 smuggling season.



"That's nothing new — my teachers are always threatening to strike me."

Paul Hellyer

Cutting the jobless payout a small step towards sanity

OTTAWA — Employment Minister Bud Cullen's announcement that the government is tightening up the Unemployment Insurance Act for the second time in as many years is welcome news.

Sure it's another hastily concocted and sloppily-documented proposal. And there may be better uses for the savings than the government proposes. But those are separate stories.

Insofar as the UI system is concerned, the government deserves credit for this second small step back toward sanity.

The act began as a simple insurance scheme permitting people to pay a modest premium when they were working in exchange for some protection should they lose their jobs.

That principle was first abandoned in 1957 when Jack Pickersgill persuaded the government to extend coverage to fishermen.

At that time, Prime Minister St. Laurent was skeptical and recognized at once the danger implicit in including seasonal workers.

But the fishermen's need was real and there was an election underway, so the Pickersgill view prevailed.

Once the door was ajar, coverage was periodically extended until Bryce Mackasey took the hinges right off with his new wide open Act.



Columnist Geoff Stevens described the Mackasey law as "the best and most generous unemployment system in the world."

Perhaps Geoff has been working so long for big organizations like Time and the Globe and Mail that the distinction between the production and consumption of wealth is a bit blurred.

It's true that the Mackasey system was the most generous in the world, but some of us with slightly different experience would like to substitute "worst" for "best" in Stevens' accolade.

Mackasey institutionalized the notion that it's "normal" to contribute \$20 or \$30 to the UI fund each summer and draw out \$3,000 or \$4,000 each winter.

Other examples include the practice by many need-workers of working only long enough to qualify for the UI and then staying home to do piecework for cash.

Some construction workers adopted a similar practice.

As soon as UI was established they would quit and do odd jobs for cash. Their total take each week would be as much, or more, than for regular employment — and for fewer hours of work.

Thousands of Canadians took jobs just long enough to qualify, "because everyone's doing it" or "if the law is that stupid you might just as well take advantage of it."

The rip-off became so monstrous that, as Bud Cullen said, "you can't go into a town in this country where somebody doesn't come up to you and say they know somebody who is cheating on the program."

So it's good that it's being tightened up, although personally, I don't think it will be tight enough.

In my opinion it's absurd that a salmon fisherman will still be able to make \$20,000 in three weeks and then draw unemployment insurance (paid for, in part, by the poorest Canadians).

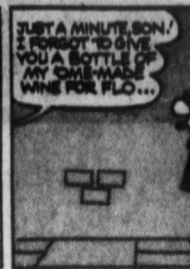
Nevertheless, the government's move is at least a step in the right direction.

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Today in History

Marquis Louis Joseph de Montcalm, commander of the French forces in Canada, died 219 years ago today — in 1759 — of wounds he received during the battle on the Plains of Abraham the day before. Montcalm did not live to see Quebec surrender to the British. Only three years before, Montcalm had been sent to Canada at the age of 44, and had destroyed two British forts and won the battle of Ticonderoga in 1758.

1959 — A Soviet space rocket struck the surface of the moon.



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To the editor

Male chauvinism proves illogical

Male chauvinism reared its ugly head in your September 5 edition, so illogical that it can't be allowed to pass without comment.

First, Gorde Hunter referred to Joan Baez and Jane Fonda as "pinkos" because they "screamed and shouted" against their country bombing hospitals and schools full of children in North Vietnam. This epithet hasn't been heard for a few years from anyone except Archie Bunker.

Women all over the world are beginning to protest vigorously against war. Although they have no voice in decision-making, and therefore no responsibility for starting wars, they have the most to lose — their fathers, brothers, husbands and sons. Added to their fears for their male relatives is the fear of rape. And don't think this doesn't happen any more. It did in Vietnam. And it is something men don't have to worry about.

Then W. R. MacLean, in a letter to the editor, says that he doesn't believe Kathleen Ruff should be director of human rights because of her "bias." He refers to her criticism of the publishers of the City Directory, which most women will find completely logical. The B.C. Telephone Company, about once a year, cautions single women about putting their names in the phone book as Miss or Mrs., as they might easily become victims of burglary, theft and rape when it is learned that they live alone. By the same token, the title "Miss" or the word "widow" might be an invitation to criminals, most of whom are male.

Mr. MacLean mentions all the benefits poured on women by men, including labor-saving devices. How could it be otherwise, when women have been unable to enter the world of science, medicine, law, or government, and have only in the past few years been able to join with men in the world of literature, art and music?

Men have also given us wars, almost continuously throughout history. The world needs women like Joan Baez, Jane Fonda and Kathleen Ruff, who are not primarily feminists, but are fighting for human rights for all people. And from the beginning of time male chauvinists, who are unable to see any farther than the end of their noses, have held back the winds of change and progress.

During the awful war in her country, a young Vietnamese mother wrote the following words for a Mother's Day as-

Quotes wrong

David Anderson should quote the prime minister correctly (*Colonist* Sept. 2). On Jan. 26, 1968, the Quebec Liberals adopted a resolution to abolish the Queen as Canada's head of state. On Jan. 27 the *Toronto Telegram* quoted Pierre Elliott Trudeau as saying that although he classed the monarchy "below skiing and snowshoeing," he didn't consider its abolition a priority at this time.

Please note that during the 1974 election he campaigned against controls. But a year later he imposed them.

Please note that in 1968 he pledged if elected to withdraw militarily from NATO. But we are now strengthening the alliance — happily so.

Please note that in 1971 he proclaimed there should be no stigma attached to work that he preferred not to work. But now he tells us there is no free lunch.

Need one go on? It should not surprise Mr. Anderson that with this record, each new Trudeau venture merely raises a horse laugh from some hysterical outbursts from others.

In 1968 the Liberal party sold its integrity "for the rouged face of power." So stop sniveling, David Anderson, and face the consequences of a contemptible sell-out.

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sembly of a group of American women who call themselves "Another Mother for Peace."

"War is obsolete. We can no longer sustain it by our silence, or with the lives of our sons. For now, forever — there is no mother who is enemy to another mother."

The slogan of this group is "We who have given life must be dedicated to preserving it."

MS. WYNN RUNGE,
Saanichton.

A greater evil

To be considered for publication in entirety or in part, letters to the editor should be on subjects of general interest, brief and to the point and, preferably, typed. Pen-names will be used, if requested, but all letters must be signed by the writer, whose address also must be included.

Now that the press, the electronic media and the public have caught on to the subversions being practised by our communist-sympathizing prime minister, and must not be forgotten, we need to look around and realize that an even greater evil exists.

Whilst the PM is hell-bent upon removing the protections of the BNA Act; im-

planting a republican dictatorship; and pursuing the costly, futile illegality of official bilingualism as personal ambitions, he is working concomitantly with the international moneychangers and the trilateralists to provide a smokescreen for their aspirations.

Just as the emotional issues are distracting attention, this complot is aiding and abetting the diabolical attack which is debauching our currency, destabilizing our economy, and demoralizing our citizens.

Since the revised Bretton Woods Agreements, 1971, into which the Liberals delivered Canada like a lamb to the slaughter, destructive experiences have been suffered with debilitating and disastrous effects, completely unchallenged.

Parliamentary control of money and the national treasury, and the protections of the BNA Act have been abrogated to the IMF as illegal actions. The national debt has been engineered and increased contrary to the provisions of the BNA Act, Sections 91 and 92; government indebtedness to the private, chartered banks has needlessly increased contrary to the provision of the BNA Act; interest rates have increased; foreign exchange rates have been contrived adversely against us; and foreign control of our money prevails — all to the disadvantage and deflowering of Canadians.

Repudiation of the IMF, and the charters of the private banks is as vital to Canada as the removal of the prime minister from office, if Canada wishes to remain a solvent, sovereign and independent nation of integrity.

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Church role defined

Your leading article in the *Colonist* September 10 concerning the financial assistance given by the World Council of Churches to the terrorist group of murderers led by Joshua Nkomo and Robert Mugabe was most apposite. It was also most heartening to learn that the Salvation Army has withdrawn its membership of the WCC.

It cannot be overemphasized that no church or council of churches has any part to play in the political life of any of the countries they serve.

By granting financial aid to the Patriotic Front the World Council of Churches has become an accessory to the murder of men, women and children, and delayed the emergence of sane, responsible, multiracial, democratic government in Rhodesia.

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Greater Victoria sets beat

I am a new Canadian, born in San Francisco, California, and have lived in Victoria for five years. My home town was founded June 29, 1778, under the flag of Spain, by Juan Bautista de Anza.

The tiny village of 1778, the raucous town of the gold rush era, and the present city (population 681,000; area 45 square miles) always were, and still is, under one unified municipal government.

The city has one mayor, six top officials (assessor, treasurer, etc.), judges and boards, all elected at large, and 11 supervisors (a few elected at large, the remainder by their districts).

The board of supervisors corresponds to the Canadian municipal council and responds to the needs and requests of the city and its dis-

tricts. There are nine regional agencies to which members are appointed by the board of supervisors. This relatively simple panel of officials successfully governs a unified city of 681,000 with far more needs, projects, and problems than Greater Victoria.

The population of the surrounding metropolitan area (not unified) is 3,135,900 — about the size of metropolitan Montreal. So far as I know, all American cities, even the largest, have this type of unified city government.

Greater Victoria's population is about 169,000 and its area 58 square miles. It has four mayors, 32 aldermen, and four complete complements of departments (police, fire, school, health, welfare, etc.) with hundreds of

employees. Nor is this all. Brooding over this four-square municipal anachronism is the Capital Regional Board with its 555 employees. All of this for a core population one-quarter that of San Francisco!

Though it helps to relieve unemployment, this very large bureaucracy is redundant and extremely expensive. People complain loudly about high taxes but seem unwilling to accept a smaller, amalgamated, and more efficient city government. I believe that Greater Victoria's fragmented municipal government is the only one of its kind in Canada. Apparently all North American cities are out of step but Greater Victoria.

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Punch



"Take heart — it may have sounded a lot worse than it is."

Civic Scene by Hubert Beyer



A FEW YEARS AGO, I tried to persuade a friend of mine to enter politics. He flatly rejected the idea on grounds that his family was too important to him.

I have to concede that his point was well taken. Few things appear to be as hazardous to marriage and family life as politics.

I'm sure if divorces were broken down into occupational categories, politicians would be in the lead.

The mortality rate of marriages among politicians is nothing short of staggering. And it doesn't confine itself to big-time politics, such as in the case of Prime Minister Trudeau and Quebec Premier Rene Levesque.

Just about every provincial cabinet has been affected, and the B.C. cabinet is no exception. And even on the municipal level, politics plays havoc with marriages.

The reason, of course, is that politics has become more and more demanding. When the provincial Legislature sat for three weeks a year, there was really no problem. The MLAs spent 40 weeks of the year at home and politics was a part-time job for them.

Ministers in those days travelled very little. Today a minister's itinerary looks more like that of an airline pilot.

All of which leaves very little time for the family and what little there remains, is robbed of privacy.

We make, in fact, incredible demands on our politicians and I often wonder why anyone in his right mind still wants to get involved in politics.

Recognizing the problem, we should take steps to remedy it. Enabling politicians to take their families with them when they are away on government business would be a step in the right direction.

And efforts to cut down on government spending notwithstanding, the public should foot the bill for it.

In the case of provincial cabinet ministers, it wouldn't even cost that much. Government aircraft often fly with empty seats. On commercial carriers, ministers could fly tourist class and take their families with them. The price difference wouldn't be all that great.

And yes, even hotel and meal costs for a politician's family should be borne by the public.

The same goes for municipal politicians attending out-of-town functions, such as the annual convention of the

Union of B.C. Municipalities. They, too, ought to be able to take their families along at no additional cost to themselves.

Until we make these changes, there should be a warning on the nomination papers: "Politics may be hazardous to your marriage and family life."

WELL, WELL, THE OLD MAGGIE hauling American tourists to Victoria and back has been a naughty girl. Not been giving our visitors the exchange rate on U.S. dollars.

I can imagine that the super smile on the gracious travel minister's face twitched a little when this bit of nasty news came out.

Who can forget the tongue-lashings Grace McCarthy has given Victoria merchants for treating our visitors so shabbily by pocketing the exchange rate?

Now it turns out that her majesty's own ship, the *Princess Marguerite*, has run afoul of the guidelines.

To be quite fair about it, the policy of accepting U.S. dollars at par aboard the *Marguerite* was introduced when the exchange rate was no more than three or four cents.

The *Marguerite* also has to purchase a lot of supplies in Seattle and, of course, pays heavy harbor dues — all in U.S. dollars.

And tourists can exchange U.S. dollars at the going rate before they board the ship, right at the dock. But what about those who don't?

Even if those paying with American money aboard the ship get their change in American money as well, they still lose the exchange on whatever they buy.

David Price, deputy general manager of the B.C. Steamship Corporation which operates the *Marguerite*, says it would be too late to change the policy this year, but adds that some changes might be introduced next season.

Actually, I don't see what the big deal is and why the rule can't be changed now, even if it's only for a few more weeks. Pay the exchange rate on U.S. dollars and that's that.

But failing a change this year, there is no excuse for the B.C. Steamship Corporation not to do so next year.

If the minister feels so strongly about fair treatment of visitors by the tourist industry, she should include government operations in that commendable endeavor.



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Gold turns to dross in Active Pass?

Comical review
by JIM GIBSON
I should have known.
Any show that comes ambling into town with the blessing of the Vancouver critics should be eyed with a little suspicion.
After all, wasn't it local reviewers who in a rare show of unanimity panned last spring's Vancouver-based

show *Starting Here, Starting Now*, only to see it applauded when it opened on the mainland?
Could a ferry ride make that much difference? Apparently it does. In the case of *Tamanhou's Theatre's* run-runnin' musical *Liquid Gold*, something must have been lost in Active Pass.
The show, which ends a

two-performance run tonight at the McPherson Playhouse before meandering around the Island and the rest of the province, offers more of a test of endurance than anything else. A handful of good lines and the occasional amusing performance aren't enough compensation.
The *Tamanhou's* company in its past Victoria visits has

never left the impression that it is an overly-talented or disciplined company. (I often wonder how many of them have ever been in the same room as a speech coach. Not many, it would seem in *Liquid Gold*.) A good dose of energy has always saved the company during its frequent crude moments. Yet the energy essential for a broad acting style is in short supply at the McPherson. Can it be that this company, more at home in spaces like The Belfry, is in awe of the limited grandeur of the McPherson, like some peasant before Marie Antoinette?
Tamanhou has in the past shown a willingness to devise its own political parables. It was the provincial land freeze in 84 Acres. In *Liquid Gold*, the evils of capitalism are documented in a backwater fishing village somewhere along the Sechart Peninsula during the early '80s. The substance of the title is moonshine which apparently serves as the opiate of the people in this parable.
Writer Glen Thompson obviously has an affinity with

the comic but he tends to be long-winded. Bruce Ruddell's rag-timish songs are adequate but was it just me or did he seem to run out of music by the second act?
Director Jeremy Long seems the real villain of the production rather than the nasty storekeeper and other capitalists Thompson has thought up. He keeps letting his cast meander from every-

thing from burlesque to parodies of New York method acting to none at all. Surely the only way to play a show like this is with a controlled, energetic, broad style.
Among the cast, Edward Astley's Mountie with a thing for a horse named Jacob, and Richard Newman's Moon Morgan whose booze, he sings, "beats hell out of Em-press teas," stand tall.

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The pilot relayed directions to the rescue centre, which quickly dispatched a Buffalo aircraft from Comox. The search plane found the crash site at 7:30 p.m. and the two rescue specialists parachuted to the scene where they reported finding Powell apparently uninjured.

Powell and the parachutists were taken by helicopter to Fort St. John.

More troubles brew in union-staff tiffs

The 225,000-member Canadian Union of Public Employees, caught with a labor dispute of its own, was without the services of its 100 staff representatives for the second successive day Wednesday.
Even if the "reps" ratify a proposed contract settlement with the union's national officers today they may be quickly sidelined again by a second confrontation within

the same union structure. The CUPE clerical employees, members of the Office and Professional Employees International Union, are reported close to a settlement with the same national officers.
A last-ditch meeting was scheduled for next Tuesday at Ottawa, but Victoria union sources said Wednesday that "something might happen well before that."

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But before anyone gets too comfortable, they should know that another chemical seems to be menacing the earth's radiation shield.

The good news and the bad news came this week from scientists summarizing the latest atmospheric research results at a national meeting of the American Chemical Society.

Dr. Hanwant Singh of SRI International, a private research group in Menlo Park, Calif., said a three-year survey of global atmospheric chemicals indicated nitrogen fertilizers did not alter levels of nitrous oxide.

Five years ago, some sci-

entists warned that nitrous oxide rising from fertilized ground would migrate to the upper atmosphere and attack ozone, a form of oxygen that protects the earth from excessive ultraviolet solar radiation.

Scientists say reduction of the ozone could result in more skin cancer, biological changes in plants and animals and possible shifts in climate.

"We suspect that the nitrous oxide problem at this time is purely a speculative one," Singh told a news conference.

But the survey, sponsored by the Environmental Protection Agency, showed increasing levels of methyl chloroform in the lower atmosphere that could migrate upward and destroy ozone, he said.

Singh said the level of the

chemical in the air was increasing at a rate of 20 per cent a year.

Dr. Philip Hanst, an EPA scientist from Research Triangle Park, N.C., said his agency was studying possible

controls on methyl chloroform, used primarily to degrease metals.

Hanst said a regulatory problem was that the chemical was increasingly used by people switching from an-

other substance called trichloroethylene, which produces unhealthy smog and causes cancer.

"The question is, which is worse and is there a substitute?" he said.

Three charged in cash export

NEW YORK (Reuter)—An Israeli lawyer and two associates were charged this week with plotting the secret export of \$2 million from the United States in violation of currency laws.

The charges were disclosed by Prosecutor Robert Fiske, who identified the men as lawyer Arie Marinsky of Tel Aviv, Zeev Dichne of Ramat-Gan, also an Israeli, and Rustamall Badrudin Tejpar, a British subject living in Zurich.

The charges allege that beginning in September, 1976, the trio conspired to violate reporting requirements of the

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Fiske said that in October, 1976, the men transported about \$375,000 from Los Angeles to London and then on to Basel, Switzerland.

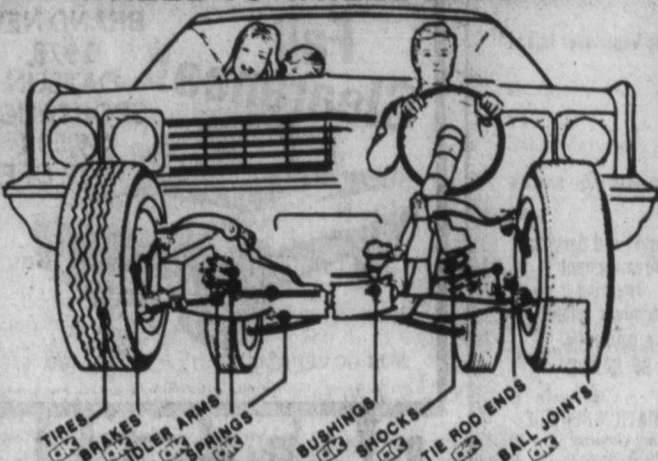
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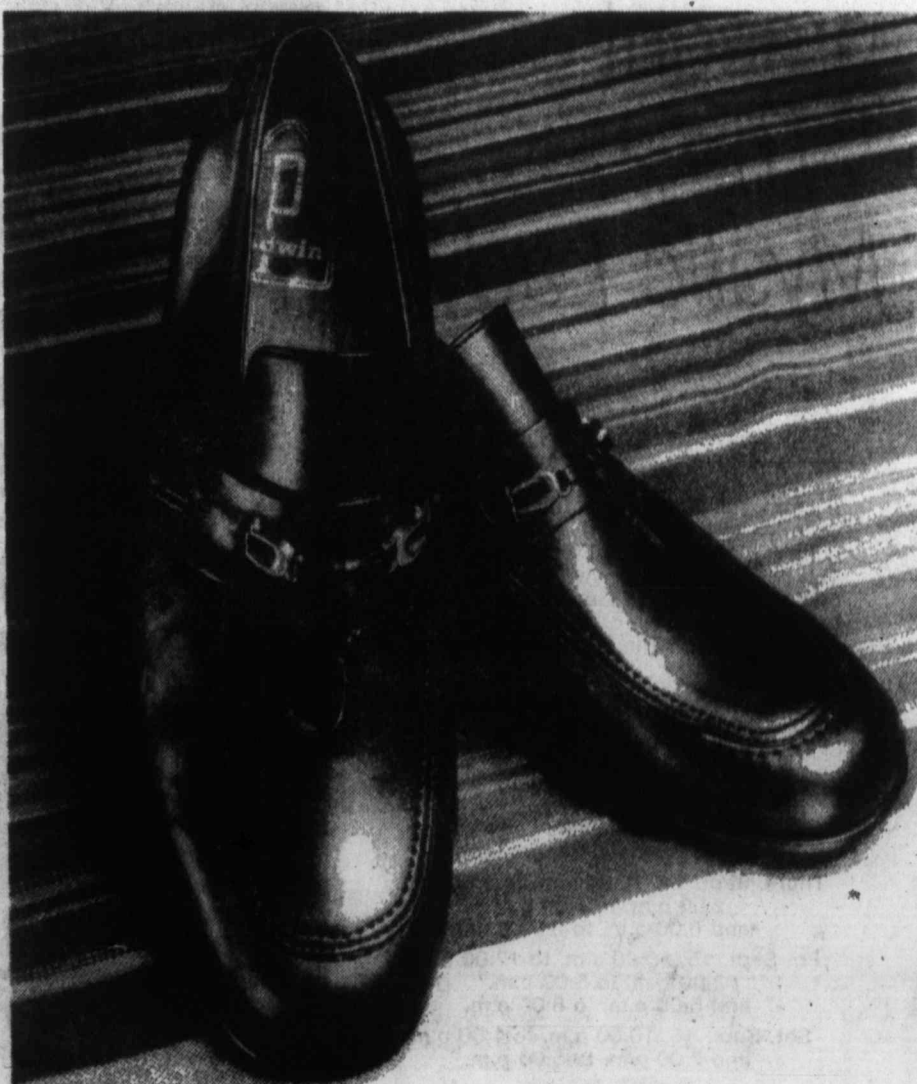
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Nixon strolls Manhattan in old style

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The former U.S. president even presided over a full-dress news conference Tuesday at which he was addressed as "Mr. President" and questioned about the state of the world.

Nixon, out from the walled seclusion of San Clemente, Calif., in the most dramatic way since he left presidential office, seemed a bit nervous about it all.

But, as he said in his news conference, he wants to let the opinion-makers know that Richard Nixon still has something to offer.

He said he considered President Carter capable of providing leadership and that he believed circumstances were such that the summit at Camp David, Md., on the situation in the Middle East could be successful.

In New York to sign a contract for a book to be published next year, Nixon said the deadline pressure of that project would keep him from making a planned world tour until the manuscript was completed in the spring.

He admitted there had been some chilly reactions to such a trip, but added, "We have a number of positive signals." He would not discuss specific countries other than Australia, which let it be known that he was not wanted there.

He said he understood Australia's reluctance and that of other countries that had not extended a welcome.

"We have not ever expected to make official visits because, after all, I'm not an official," he said. "I had only hoped that in visits to these countries it would be possible to be there at a time when I could at least call upon those who are currently in the government."

The Nixon book, still untitled, will be published by Warner Communications, which paid him \$2 million for his memoirs. Nixon was not asked about the financial arrangements for the new work and he did not volunteer the information.

The memoirs, he said, were helpful in paying his huge legal fees.

"As far as the second book is concerned, whether it will be a commercial success remains to be seen. I'm more interested in it being a book that will be read by the opinion-makers in this country."

He said he would write about major issues confronting the United States and the free world, but "not in any partisan or political sense."

Although he referred to the book as his second, it will actually be his third. He wrote *Six Crises* in the 1960s. Nixon said it would be inappropriate for him to comment on the talks at Camp David since those participating in the conference were keeping quiet.

But he took a swipe at recent White House efforts to

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Economic self-reliance out in startling reversal

China abandons Mao's cherished tradition

By LINDA MATHEWS
Colonist - Los Angeles Times Service

HONG KONG — Abandoning Mao Tse-tung's cherished doctrine of economic self-reliance, China's new leaders apparently have decided to borrow development funds from overseas banks and to accept direct foreign investment.

No official announcement heralded this startling reversal of long-standing policy. But in a recent flurry of meetings with foreign trade delegations, China's top economic planners have made it clear that they are counting on foreign capital to help finance a crash program of industrial modernization costing at least \$350 billion by 1985.

Economists here believe China can generate only half that amount internally, so the rest must come from the country's export earnings and from foreign sources. As a result, the Chinese in recent months have invited dozens of foreign banks and corporations to submit proposals for the financing of everything from wig factories to offshore oil exploration.

"Peking is so jammed these days with foreign businessmen and bankers that it's practically impossible to get a hotel room," John Kamm, the Hong Kong representative for the National Council for U.S.-China Trade, said.

The decision to solicit foreign capital and expertise apparently was made at the highest levels, for the first word of the policy shift came from Li Hsien-nien, the No. 4 man in the party hierarchy and the country's leading economic planner. In mid-summer Li startled Yoshizo Ikeda, president of the Japanese conglomerate Mitsui, by announcing that China would seek private bank loans to finance massive imports of plant and technology from Japan.

A few days later, British trade secretary Edmund Dell said on his return from Peking that the Chinese had told him that they were prepared to consider all forms of credit with the exception of government-to-government loans. Those had been ruled out, Dell indicated, because the Chinese did not want to become obligated to a foreign power, as they were to the Soviet Union in the 1950s.

Other European trade delegations have reported that Peking also has begun to peddle the same kind of "product payback" schemes long favored by the Eastern European bloc. Under such arrangements, foreign firms that provide the equipment and capital for new factories inside China would be repaid not with cash, but with the output of those factories.

According to Kamm, the Chinese are willing to transform some counties into export processing zones and commit up to 100 percent of production to foreign manufacturers, as payment for imported equipment and technology.

Although most of China's contacts have been with Japanese and European business interests, Americans have not been completely ignored despite the absence of full diplomatic relations between Peking and Washington. Since May, the national council has been negotiating with China Resources Co., Peking's official representative here, over the establishment of joint Sino-American ventures in Hong Kong and Macao.

The Chinese also are trying to induce American electronics and automobile firms to set up assembly plants inside China, though they emphasize that these factories, unlike those proposed for Hong Kong and Macao, could not be joint ventures in the true sense of the word.

"On Chinese territory, the ownership of plants must remain in Chinese hands," explained a local communist with close ties to Peking. "Foreign ownership of assets inside China would be intolerable. But on neutral ground in Hong Kong and Macao a true joint venture is possible, with half the equity coming from the Chinese side and half from the American."

Despite China's obvious desire for foreign capital, few contracts have been signed so far. Product payback arrangements have been implemented only on a small scale, mostly with firms from Hong Kong run by overseas Chinese. Funds from this British colony have financed a wig factory in Shumchun, the small Chinese city just across the border from Hong Kong. Plants producing textiles and gloves are scheduled to come on stream in Shumchun later this year.

A number of foreign banks have offered credit facilities to China, though their negotiations have not yet gone beyond the preliminary state.

Toshio Komoto, the Japanese minister for international trade and industry, will travel to Peking next week for another round of discussions with the Bank of China over the offer of Japan's export-important bank to supply yen-denominated development funds for China's petroleum and coal industries. Talks about how best to finance China's burgeoning trade with Japan have been held intermittently for more

than a year, with little progress reported. Three British banks — Standard Chartered of London, Lloyds Bank International and Kleinworth, Benson, Ltd. — have offered to make long-term deposits in the Bank of China, reportedly of \$100 million each. But

banking sources here report that the terms of the transactions are still up in the air.

"Sometimes I get the sense that the Chinese receive these proposals, file them away and then forget them," said a banker who has dealt recently with Peking. "They can take five or six months

just to answer a letter."

Local China traders, however, attribute the delays to caution — among Chinese officials and foreigners alike — about jumping into transactions that are such a radical departure from Peking's traditional methods of doing business.

Kamm, the U.S.-China Trade Council spokesman, reports that many American firms are exploring co-production schemes with the Chinese, but want to proceed slowly. "Their post-war experience in Japan is still very real to a lot of these companies," Kamm explained.

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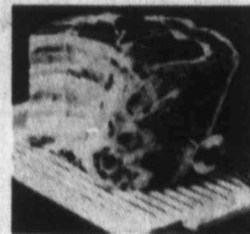
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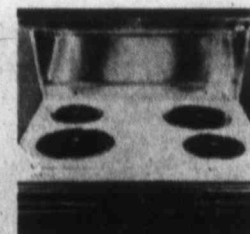
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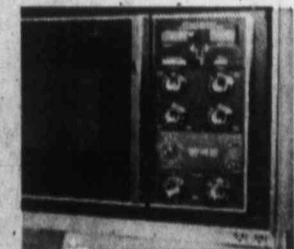
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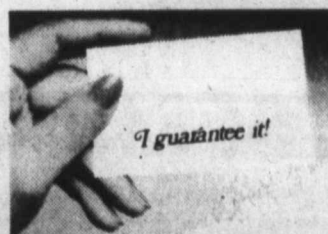
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Ambulance delays claimed

Saanich aldermen want ambulance service provided by the provincial Emergency Health Services Commission monitored following complaints of slow response to calls in the municipality.

Fire committee chairman Ald. Robert Cameron said Wednesday the monitoring should be done to assess both the quality and quantity of the response.

Cameron said that recently a relative had had to wait 15 minutes for an EHSC ambulance crew to respond to an emergency call.

Ald. Ian Cass, also told of problems encountered in getting an ambulance to move a sick person from the Cedar Hill golf club to hospital because the dispatcher was not sure of the club's location.

"It bothers me no end that such a situation exists," he said.

Ald. John Mika, who earlier this year claimed the service being provided by the municipal fire department would be downgraded when taken over by the commission, told the committee he was still convinced emergency ambulance service provided by the department could not be surpassed.

It was unfortunate, he said, the EHSC crews were not as familiar with Saanich as were the former ambulance drivers, members of the fire department.

Fire chief Arthur Fryer said municipal ambulances based at the Vernon and McKenzie halls have been removed and service is now provided by EHSC ambulances from nearby locations.

An ambulance unit complete with inhalator and manned by Saanich firemen is located at the new Royal Oak firehall. It responds to emergency calls and also moves patients to hospital from the northern part of the municipality, Royal Oak and Cordova Bay.

All emergency calls emanating from the municipality are, however, handled by the commission's central dispatch station at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Fryer said 35 ambulance calls were handled last month by the municipality compared with 145 in August of 1977.

Fryer, understandably proud of the ambulance service run since 1961 by the firefighters, said the department boasts an average five-minute response time.

Although he has received complaints from residents about slow response time by EHSC crews, Fryer admits "it's pretty difficult to know your way around Saanich really well unless you are a fireman."

Learning the the district is part of the intensive training given firefighters, he said, adding that it takes a fireman about four years to know Saanich really well.



Campbell
... control outdated

'Water district an anachronism'

Greater Victoria water district is an anachronism that has outlived its usefulness, according to Capital Region Board chairman James Campbell.

By all rights, control over regional water supplies should be in regional hands, but unfortunately there is no one around with the political guts to do anything about it, he told members of the region's executive committee Wednesday morning.

Campbell was commenting on a suggestion from Saanich Ald. John Mika that the re-

gion approach member municipalities with a view to taking over regional libraries, water supply but those requests had never got anywhere. He suggested that if Saanich Peninsula representatives wanted to start a move to have the water board regionalized, they would get a good deal of support.

Recently the region asked for approval of letters patent to allow it to take over grants, but a number of municipalities turned down the idea.

It was following that refusal that Mika made his suggestion for a package deal.

"I have felt for a long time that the water district was an anachronism," Campbell said.

There had been requests from western communities that the region take over water supply but those requests had never got anywhere. He suggested that if Saanich Peninsula representatives wanted to start a move to have the water board regionalized, they would get a good deal of support.

"This would then be a request from components rather than from board directors and perhaps we could deal with it with some hopes of acceptance," Campbell added.

Campbell said he felt all matters that affect more than one regional component could be dealt with on a regional basis more effectively and economically than by the components themselves.

"But," he said, "it is quite clear also that it is not politically popular for regional districts to seize or attempt to seize duties or responsibilities from components."

Campbell recommended that the board seek to expand its responsibilities but remain ready to consider requests from components to assume further duties.

He said he did not think it politically feasible to amalgamate the library on a regional basis because the service provided to the peninsula and the western community by another library is much better and more popular, and that the Greater Victoria library board would be unacceptable to residents of those areas.

"There is a lesson in that the Greater Victoria library board ought to understand," Campbell said. "They are totally unacceptable to outlying communities."



Fiery end to old school

Olga Bossi's old school at Prospect Lake went up in flames Wednesday, put to torch by Saanich firemen in demolition exercise. Miss Bossi, of 3308 Quadra, taught there from 1925 to 1940. Coincidentally, firemen watching flames lick the

old school may within five years be stationed in Saanich's fourth firehall planned to be built on the site. Built in 1912, the school was last used 12 years ago. Council ordered it destroyed because it had deteriorated and was in unsafe condition.

Police hold suspect in fire bomb incident

A 23-year-old man has been arrested on charges of attempted murder and arson in connection with a fire-bombing on the Labor Day weekend.

The man, whose identity was being withheld pending his appearance today in provincial court, was arrested Wednesday night by police who had been trying to track down the person who hurled a molotov cocktail into the bedroom of an elderly couple at 1136 Empress.

Artem and Mary Sokalski were asleep

when the firebomb landed in their room shortly after 5 a.m. Sept. 3. Mrs. Sokalski suffered minor facial burns. The resulting fire caused an estimated \$1,500 to \$2,000 damage.

The arrest followed long hours of work by Victoria police sergeants Blake Green and Doug Richardson. Their efforts drew praise from Insp. Angus Stewart, head of the city detective division.

"They did an excellent job in a difficult investigation," Stewart said.

'Sooke thwarted by core councils'

By NANCY BROWN
Colonist reporter

Sooke's hopes of having an economic development commission are being dashed by decisions being taken in core municipalities, members of the Capital Region Board's executive committee were told Wednesday morning.

In order to get a commission, Sooke must have letters patent granted through the region. When the board considered the wording of letters patent it was decided that rather than covering Sooke alone, the legislation should make it possible for other municipalities to form commissions without new legislation.

Under the proposed letters patent any municipality would have to decide for itself if it wanted to go ahead with a commission. It would administer such a commission itself.

However, Victoria Ald. Murray Glazier said that although aldermen understand that only enabling legislation is being considered, and although they understand that they are not handing any authority over to the region, they still refuse to endorse any letters patent from the region.

"Anything that could seem to extend regional responsi-

bilities has two or three votes against it right away," he said.

"That is something I find a trifle disturbing," said region board chairman James Campbell, "that anything as transparently clear as this is misunderstood by such an august body as Victoria city council or the even more professionally adequate group of people on Oak Bay council."

But he was assured that council members do understand that the adoption of letters patent would not make

any difference to the city unless the city wanted a commission, but would simply enable components such as Sooke to do as they wished.

Victoria Ald. William Tindall said some had suggested that Sooke simply use a commission already set up under the four core municipalities.

He was told that Sooke investigators cannot make any move until they have letters patent to allow them to do so.

The committee will consider revising the proposed letters patent to cover Sooke alone.

Icebreaker menders racing the weather

If the weather at Cambridge Bay in the Arctic doesn't clear up soon, the Canadian Coast Guard icebreaker *Camsell* may have to stay there until next spring.

High winds Wednesday prevented welders from patching up two holes on the port side of the vessel.

Although there is no danger of losing the vessel, continuing bad weather may force her to winter in the Arctic, according to the transport ministry's district manager at Victoria, Larry Slaght.

The *Camsell* is based at Victoria. The *Camsell* has two gashes on her port side, one seven feet, the other four feet. She was holed Monday morning by ice and her engine room filled in 20 minutes.

Slaght said he's still hopes to get the vessel out, but two weeks was about all the time left.

"After that, the weather gets really bad and we probably wouldn't be able to get her out," he said.

That was "cutting it really fine," he said, but in good weather, the repairs could be completed in one day.

One of the problems, Slaght said, was that the engines would probably be ruined if the *Camsell* had to stay in the Arctic all winter.

"If we get her to Victoria, we believe we can salvage the engines," he added.

Convocation date moved

Next year's convocation at the University of Victoria will be set a week later than usual, much to the relief of the sailing crowd.

The UVic Senate approved with little debate Wednesday a suggestion that the convocation be moved from May 26 to June 2, to give more time for grading final exams.

But grading may not have been uppermost in the mind of graduate studies dean John Dewey. "If this change means that, for the first time in many years, convocation will not fall on Swiftsure weekend, I'm all for it," he said.

Best effort fails

By PAUL De GROOT
Colonist reporter

In spite of a last-ditch effort by its main supporter, a proposal to require French or a Grade 11 foreign language course for admission to the University of Victoria failed to gain support at a UVic Senate meeting Wednesday night.

Dr. Michael Best had suggested last fall that UVic consider following the lead of the University of British Columbia, which will require French or a Grade 11 foreign language for entering students by 1981. But a poll of university academic departments revealed that opinion was divided, and Senate academic affairs committee chairman Dr. Walter Bars recommended in a report that UVic not make the requirement now, but keep in touch with Simon Fraser University, which is considering a similar requirement.

In a reply to Bars' recommendation, Best termed his recommendation "a question of follow-the-leader-but-not-too-closely. If all universities

French issue at UVic

decide that they will take no action because no other university has taken action we are not likely to get much action."

Best said departments were not told of UBC's plans when fine arts dean Peter Smith polled them. Best mentioned UBC's plans to members of his own department (English), and said it was obvious they felt more comfortable in supporting the requirement when they knew B.C.'s largest university intended to impose it.

"It is after all easier to decide an issue on principle when the practical problems of being a pioneer are removed."

Smith said at the Senate meeting that he was somewhat surprised at the reaction he had received from the

various departments. Those departments whose disciplines seemed the furthest removed from languages, such as the science departments, gave it the strongest support, while departments in the humanities and languages, including the French department, opposed it.

Smith said the chairman of the French department noted in her response that the quality of French instruction in high schools might not make requiring it for university entrance a good idea.

Several senators spoke in favor of the idea, with one reporting amazement that an institution calling itself a "university" in a bilingual country could turn out graduates unable to speak both official languages, and another noting that a language requirement existed until a few years ago, but Best's proposal got nowhere when it came to a vote.

Only a few faculty members supported a motion to send Best's proposal back to university faculties for more discussion.

Glenlyon boy's curiosity leads to two trips

A curiosity about those tiny spheres of water sometimes left floating on the surface after a drop of water has fallen led to two all-expenses-paid trips to Ontario this summer for a Glenlyon schoolboy.

Tybring Hemphill, a Grade 10 student at Glenlyon, won a top prize last spring in the regional science fair in Victoria for his science fair project on water globules. That took him to the Canada-wide science fair in Sudbury, Ontario, where he won another prize—a trip to visit Bell-Northern Research laboratories in Ottawa at the end of August.

Just back from this last trip, Tybring said the trip to Bell-Northern was an eye-opening introduction to the frontiers of telecommunications science, particularly in fibre optics, lasers, and crystal manufacturing.

The 10 students from across Canada who were part of the tour also visited National Research Council laboratories in Ottawa where they saw, among other things, a computer which can provide artificial speech to the handicapped.

Visits to the National Museum of Technology and Parliament Hill were also on the itinerary.

As for those water globules: "Oxygen atoms lining up on the surface of water produce a negative charge. The negative charge on the globules repels the negative charge on the surface of the water so that the globules float on the water."



Hemphill examines fibre-optic wire

Mayor Mel Couveller said he was intrigued by the apparent casual manner in which the estimate had been handled, and wondered about the "nice round figure arrived at by the developer."

Self-confessed "free enterpriser" Ald. Geoffrey Vantreight said he was against spending taxpayers' money "to enable a free enterpriser to make money."

Vantreight said he objected to a development costing Saanich taxpayer's money as the developer should have known the problems facing him when he acquired the property.

In other business, the committee decided to confirm the right-of-way for a shortened version of a major east-west route from Vanalman to Roy Road west of the Pat Bay Highway.

The highways ministry had announced earlier it was dropping its plan to develop an east-west link through Saanich from North Quadra to Munns Road because of council's reluctance to protect the right-of-way along the eight-mile route.

Saanich reviews cost-sharing with developers

A review of Saanich's 50-50 cost-sharing policy with developers for services installed on private property has been recommended by council's public works committee.

Aldermen also want two independent quotations before approving a developer's request to cost-share a storm drainage project.

The owner of property at Shelbourne and Stockton has offered to pay half of the \$20,000 needed to enclose 104 feet of Bowker Creek on three lots he wants to subdivide, engineer Clifford Warren said Tuesday.

The estimate, prepared by the developer, had been checked by municipal staff, he said. The work would be done by the developer, not the municipality.

Oregon finds disease cases

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Oregon's first confirmed case of Legionnaire's disease has been reported, and five other cases are suspected in the state, the Oregon State Health Division says.

A 62-year-old Beaverton man, who was not identified, developed symptoms of the disease in late June. He was admitted to hospital in early July when his coughing increased, he had difficulty breathing and his temperature rose to 104 degrees, the division said.

Treatment included administration of the antibiotic Erythromycin. After 33 days

in hospital, the patient was discharged to his home and has since recovered.

Other suspected victims of the disease in Oregon are a Roseburg man, a 52-year-old Milwaukee woman, a 19-year-old Odell woman and a 45-year-old Portland man. Health officials said another possible case awaiting confirmation was that of a 97-year-old Portland man who died in August.

They said the cases appeared to be sporadic and not related.

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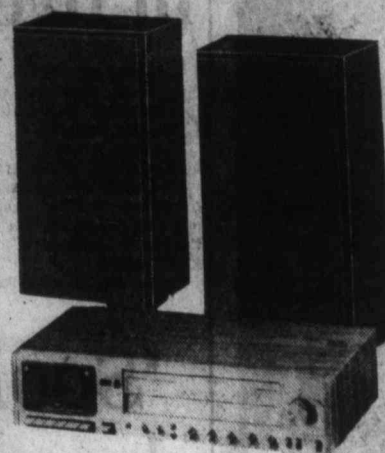
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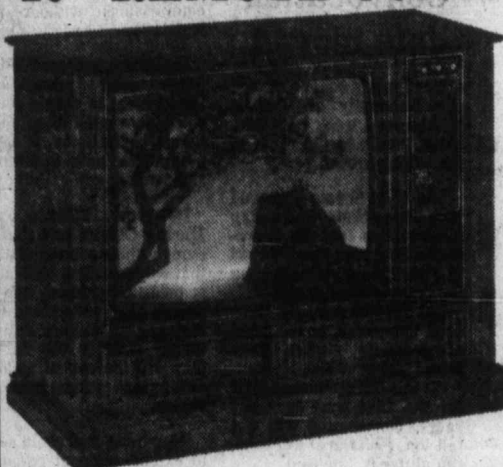
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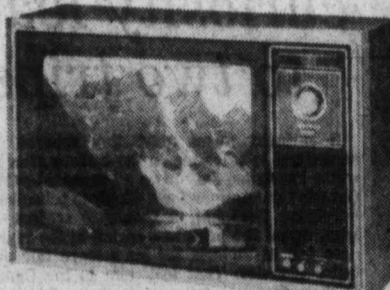
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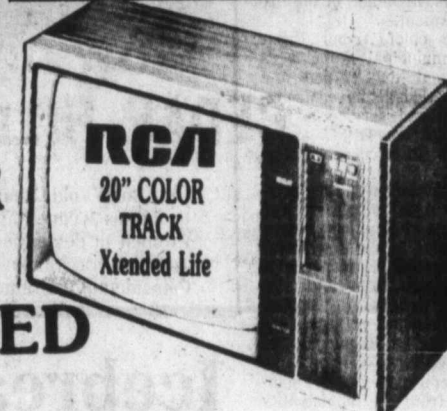
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Warning with children back in school:

Sometimes you can over parent

(Joe Saltzman is chairman of undergraduate studies at the University of Southern California's School of Journalism. David Saltzman is now studying spelling in the sixth grade.)

By JOE SALTZMAN
Colonist - Los Angeles Times Service
LOS ANGELES — A warning as children resume school: Sometimes you can over parent.

Last spring, our son, David, 11 years old and in the fifth grade, came home from school on a Thursday with the news that he would have a 15-word spelling test the following Monday. The 15 words would be selected from 102 words that he had been compiling one day at a time since the beginning of the school year.

Now, this is important news in our house. David is not a good speller. He is either too logical — if explain becomes explaining, why doesn't win becoming wing? — or too creative — premonition simply comes out at first try as pre-mo-nish-un — to be a good speller.

Well, we studied. Boy, did we study. Morning, noon and night, through the weekend, David was bombarded with test preparation: Spell the word. What part of speech is it? What is its definition? Use it in a sentence.

Hour after hour, through Saturday and then Sunday we hounded David until he ran into his room and bolted the door.

"No more!" he cried. I've had enough. You are being sinister — s-i-n-i-s-t-e-r, an adjective, wicked or evil in some dark, mysterious way — and I want to have some leisure — l-e-i-s-u-r-e, a noun and an adjective, time free

from work — time for the rest of the day."

We pleaded, we cajoled, we threatened. We offered bribes. He would come out of his room and resume studying. But within a few minutes he would start yelling and head back to his room. "You all are my antagonists — a-n-t-a-g-o-n-i-s-t, noun, a person or thing that opposes the hero. I am not as ambitious — a-m-b-i-t-i-o-u-s, adjective, eager to succeed, as you are. Leave me alone because you are causing me excruciating — e-x-c-r-u-c-i-a-t-i-n-g, adjective, causing great pain or anguish — pain all over."

On it went. David fell asleep in mid-sentence, saying "absurd — a-b-s-u-r-d, adjective, unreasonable, ridiculous...."

We woke him up at 6 in the morning to go over the 25 or so stubborn words that he just couldn't remember — irrefutable and irascible, indignant and integrity, deviate and extrovert.

We sent him off to school confident that he knew the bulk of the 102 words — at least how to spell them.

From work that afternoon, I called David to find out how he had done on the test. He was surly.

"I will never again heed — h-e-e-d, verb, pay attention to, take notice of — your advice. I may be mediocre — m-e-d-i-o-c-r-e, adjective, ordinary, average quality but I am not stupid. I am filled with consternation — c-o-n-s-t-e-r-n-a-t-i-o-n, noun, terror, dismay, confusion — because we didn't have the test!"

"The test was canceled, and I studied for nothing. So I am listless — l-i-s-t-l-e-s-s, adjective, lacking energy or interest, tired — for no reason. You were flagrant — f-l-a-g-r-a-n-t, adjective, a glaring mistake, error, or violation openly purposeful — in the way you made me study."

"I used to be a gregarious — g-r-e-g-a-r-i-o-u-s, adjective, sociable, friendly, living together in groups or herds — person, but now I am a pessimist — p-e-s-s-i-m-i-s-t, noun, a person who has a gloomy view of life. I plan to take a respite — r-e-s-p-i-t-e, noun, a pause for a rest, a lull — now because I have great apathy — a-p-a-t-h-y, noun, lack of interest — for you and your ideas. And I am not being facetious — f-a-c-e-t-i-o-u-s, adjective, joking at an inappropriate time, just kidding."

I remembered facetious was Word No. 102 in his notebook. With that, David said he would now scrutinize — s-c-r-u-t-i-n-i-z-e, verb, examine carefully — any suggestions that we would make so as not to jeopardize — j-e-o-p-a-r-d-i-z-e, verb, to endanger — his peace of mind in the future.

He said he was not nonchalant — n-o-n-c-h-a-l-a-n-t, adjective, acting unexcited and unconcerned — and that he knew we were basically benevolent — b-e-n-e-v-o-l-e-n-t,

adjective, desire to do good, kindly — people but, that we had been dogmatic — d-o-g-m-a-t-i-c, adjective, asserted in a no-chance-for-error manner; irascible — i-r-a-s-c-i-b-l-e, adjective, quickly angered; malicious — m-a-l-i-c-i-o-u-s, adjective, spiteful, showing or having evil intentions — parents, and that he was implacable — i-m-p-l-a-c-a-b-l-e, adjective, incapable of being pacified.

David hung up the phone with a clatter.

Later, my wife and I made a resolution — r-e-s-o-l-u-t-i-o-n, noun, a decision on a course of action. We would persevere — p-e-r-s-e-v-e-r-e, verb, to keep on trying to do something in spite of difficulties — in the strange, agonizing business of rearing David and his older brother, Michael. It seemed that the time to constantly admonish — a-

d-m-o-n-i-s-h, verb, criticize mildly, warn — our children was over. As parents, we were still novices — n-o-v-i-c-

e, noun, a beginner; perhaps even superfluous — s-u-p-e-r-f-l-u-o-u-s, adjective, more than needed.

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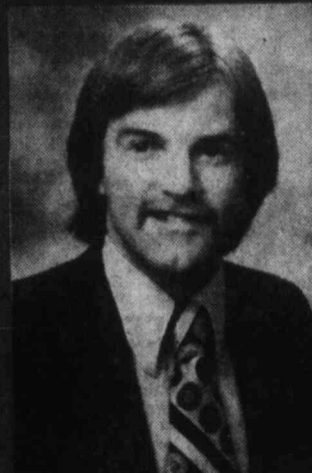
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West Coast Air expands service

By GEORGE GIBSON
Colonist Business Editor

West Coast Air Services Ltd. is about to upgrade its downtown-to-Victoria flights between Victoria and Vancouver. The company said Wednesday that it short-ly will be using an 18-passenger Twin Otter aircraft on the route and has applied to federal authorities for a waiver to its present requirement to make a stop in the Gulf Islands.

Company general manager Russ Minaker said in a telephone interview from Richmond, the company headquarters, that he hopes to have the improved service operating sometime in October. An application has been in for several months, he said, to the Canadian Transport Commission for permission to drop the Gulf Islands requirement. However, he added, the new plane will be put into use even if such permission is not granted.

West Coast Air has been active on the route for the past two years, operating five flights a day between here

and Vancouver, with stops at Guelph, Mayne, Pender, Salt Spring and Salt Spring Islands. Minaker said that the company will continue to service those points but would like to have the option of over-flying them if there were no passengers to be landed or picked up there.

The Twin Otter will provide two direct flights in addition to the present five if plans materialize, Minaker said.

AirWest, principal operator on the route, has intervened in the West Coast application. AirWest, which began on the route in 1969, schedules 15 flights per day, weather and light conditions permitting.

West Coast uses single-engine de Havilland Beaver and Cessna planes in its present service and can carry only between five and seven persons per flight.

Minaker said West Coast has 30 planes in its hangars. It does a large charter business out of Vancouver and has scheduled flights to Ocean Falls, Bella Coola,

Bella Bella, Namu, Tahsis and Tofino.

Most of the planes are float-equipped, Minaker added.

The company, which can trace its origins back to the 40s, got into charters in a big way in 1955, Minaker said. It employs 113 people in all its operations.

Other expansion plans include a new terminal in Vancouver Harbour, near the CP Rail jetty, within walking distance of downtown Vancouver, Minaker said. The company presently operates out of the Bayshore Hotel floats and the Victoria terminal is near Hartwig Court in the Inner Harbour.

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The insurance agency said Wednesday: "At the present time it appears unlikely that there will be sufficient funds collected to make a distribution to debenture holders or to shareholders."

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U.S. rates rising

WASHINGTON (AP) — Interest rates on home mortgages in the United States rose for the ninth month in a row in August, the government said Wednesday.

The average interest rate on new houses was a record 9.69 per cent in early August, an increase from 9.57 per cent in July.

Interest rates on previously-occupied houses were 9.77 per cent, compared with 9.63 per cent the month before.

The interest rates are on conventional home mortgages and include both the interest rate in the contract and initial fees and charges.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board said the average cost of a new house was \$63,900 in August, an increase from \$61,900 the month before. Used houses rose in price on average to \$54,900 from \$53,700.

The average term of the loans was reduced 28.0 from 28.2 years.



Saad Gabr and son Yasser, who wants to be a pilot

Arab prince helps open audio store

MONTREAL (CP) — The first in a planned chain of international showrooms displaying sophisticated audio equipment opened in downtown Montreal Wednesday.

The store, called Dar Salda (meaning happy home in Arabic), is an enterprise of Gabr Associates, owned by Arab businessman Saad Gabr. Other stores are to open by next year in New York, San Francisco, London, Paris and Tokyo.

A number of Gabr's friends and business associates, including Prince Mohamed Al Faisal, nephew of the Saudi Arabian king, were in Montreal to attend the opening of the showroom, where sets of antique furniture incorporating loudspeakers are displayed.

The associates, including about 40 Saudis who have been visiting Gabr at his country home at North Hatley, about 150 kilometres east of Montreal, had come to Canada to "see how I'm doing," as Gabr put it.

"They came to see if I'm happy here and to give me their advice," said Gabr, who was born in Egypt, although he now makes his home in England.

Gabr said he was originally invited by the Quebec industry and commerce department seven years ago to come to Canada and examine the possibility of establishing manufacturing facilities for audio and communications equipment in Canada.

Guy Joron, minister of energy, and Bernard Landry, minister of state for economic development, were both present at a luncheon given by Gabr for his Saudi Arabian friends and business associates.

Gabr also told a news conference Wednesday he is entering into a joint venture with Leigh Instruments Ltd. of Ottawa, whereby Leigh will manufacture Gabr's audio products in its Waterloo, Ont., plant.

U.S. dollar takes dive

NEW YORK (AP) — The U.S. dollar fell sharply against the world's major currencies Wednesday in a market depressed by worries that oil prices may rise if the Camp David Mideast summit talks fail.

The price of gold shot up by \$2 an ounce on major European exchanges and kept rising in late trading in New York.

In Zurich, gold closed at \$210.125 an ounce, up from Tuesday's \$208.125; in London, it finished at \$210.55, up from \$208.35. New York dealers, trading gold for delivery in London, quoted the price late in the day at \$211.75.

In addition to concerns over oil and peace in the Mideast, analysts cited pessimism over the U.S. economic outlook as a factor in the dollar's decline.

Also contributing to the dollar's fall were unconfirmed reports that the Soviet state bank was selling large quantities of dollars to buy Swiss francs. In addition, U.S. banks were reported to be large sellers of dollars.

Saudi Arabia's foreign minister, Prince Saud el Faisal, said Arab and other countries would have to look at options if the Egyptian-Israeli talks fail. This might mean Saudi acceptance of a demand from other oil producers for oil prices to be set in currencies other than the U.S. currency.

Saudi Oil Minister Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani said his

country will decide in a few weeks whether to back demands for an oil price increase at an Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries meeting in December.

The dollar skidded to 188.40 yen in New York.

In Tokyo the U.S. fund opened today sharply lower against the yen today—188.50 yen compared with Wednesday's close of 191.825. At one point in early trading the dollar hit a low of 188.80 yen but

then recovered to the 189.70-190.00 range.

In Zurich on Wednesday, the dollar fell to 1.5925 Swiss francs, down from 1.610 Tuesday, and it closed at 1.5912 in New York, against 1.6200 the day before.

The dollar closed in Frankfurt at 1.9790 marks, down from 1.9957 Tuesday, and at 1.9770 marks in New York, against Tuesday's 1.9965.

The British pound gained to \$1.96095 in London from

\$1.94385 Tuesday. It took \$1.9635 to buy a pound in New York, against \$1.9458 the day before. The Canadian dollar closed in New York at 86.10 U.S. cents, up from 86.01 U.S. cents Tuesday.

Late dollar rates at other major money centres included: Paris, 4.340 French francs, down from 4.373; Milan, 833.80 lire, down from 834.95; and Amsterdam, 2.1555 guilders, down from 2.1670.

Poorer nations did better

WASHINGTON (AP) — Economic growth of poor nations outpaced growth rates of industrial nations last year, in part because of improved food supplies and rising exports, the World Bank said Wednesday.

In addition, prospects for continuing rapid growth of poor nations remain favorable as long as new barriers to their exports are not erected by industrial nations.

The bank said in its annual report that the gross national product of developing nations grew by 5.4 per cent in 1977, compared with 3.9 per cent

for industrial nations. The year before, economies of poor nations grew 6.4 per cent, compared with 4.6 per cent for industrial nations.

The bank said many poor nations have done better than their wealthier counterparts in making the necessary internal economic adjustments that allowed them to recover from the deep world-wide recession of 1974 and 1975.

But the bank stressed that massive rural poverty afflicts most of the poor nations and that their foremost problem "is that of ensuring that agricultural production ex-

pands faster than population."

It said the world food situation has improved since the general food crisis of 1974. A bank official said global food reserves now equal about 20 per cent of world needs for a year, compared with just 10 per cent five years ago.

"We are mildly optimistic about the food situation..." one official said. "There are excellent levels of production in South Asia."

The World Bank report showed the bank is emphasizing agricultural development.

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Rate rising at B.C. Bank

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Bank of British Columbia has announced it is following the lead of the Bank of Canada and raising its prime lending rate half a percentage point.

The new prime rate, effective Wednesday at the Bank of British Columbia, will be 10 1/4 per cent. Interest paid on savings accounts was also increased by half of one per cent.

Mutual funds

TORONTO (CP) — Recent prices of investment funds supplied by The Investment Funds Institute of Canada Wednesday. They are the net asset value per share or unit (NAVPS) last circulated by the fund in accordance with its pricing practice as contained in the prospectus of the fund. n—no sales charge; y—yes. Fund, y—delayed NAVPS; x—no dividend.

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Neale promises Canucks tough training camp

By STAN COOPER
"Are there any golf courses with lights in Courtenay?"

That was coach Harry Neale's reply to a loaded question about the conditions at the Vancouver Canucks training camp starting next week at Comox Valley Sports Centre.

"I'm aware this team has had camps which haven't been much more than a two-week holiday," said Neale, a reputed tough guy. "I can only say that there won't be much time for golf and tennis this year."

Neale, who played junior hockey for Toronto Marlboros, takes over as head coach in the eighth season of a National Hockey League team continually beset with problems. He was in Victoria on Wednesday to address a media luncheon and introduce several players and new assistant coach Dave Dunn, a former Canucks defenceman who wound up his playing career in the World Hockey Association.

Formerly head coach with New England Whalers of the WHA, Neale admits he knows little about the team he inherits from Orland Kurtenbach, fired after the frustrating 1977-78 campaign when the Canucks finished out of the playoffs for the second straight season.

"We have only 22 days from the start of training camp to our league opener so the eight exhibition games we play will be extremely important both for the players and the coaching staff. I know some of the players coming back and I've talked to all 38 players invited to camp. I've scheduled two-day workouts plus running



Dave Dunn, Thomas Gradin, coach Harry Neale and Don Lever here Wednesday.

two miles each morning and if the players want it, I'll have evening practices too."

When camp opens Monday, Neale should have four goalkeepers, 12 defencemen and 22 forwards in uniform.

That's down from previous Canucks camps, when as many as 75 players reported here, but it's the growing trend in professional hockey says Neale.

"We will keep 19 players in Vancouver and send most of the others to Dallas of the Central Hockey League," Neale explained. "I don't know if we'll keep six defencemen and 11 forwards (plus two goalkeepers) or five defencemen and 12 forwards."

we'll see what we've got after the exhibitions."

Canucks open their pre-season schedule here on Saturday, Sept. 23 against Los Angeles Kings, play the Kings in Vancouver the following night and Sept. 27-28 in San Diego and Los Angeles respectively. Then it's New York Rangers in Vancouver Sept. 29 and Oct. 1, Edmonton Oilers of the WHA in Edmonton on Oct. 4 and Colorado Rockies in Vancouver on Oct. 7.

Rockies are also the opposition for the Canucks opener on Wednesday, Oct. 11 at Pacific Coliseum.

Canucks finished two points behind the second-place Rockies in the Smythe Division last season and Neale firmly believes the 24 games against the other three members of the so-called Smeagol Division are the key to the Canucks fortunes.

With Minnesota's North Stars moving to the Adams Division this season, Canucks face Chicago Black Hawks, St. Louis Blues and the Rockies eight times each, four home and four away, and they're all in Neale's words "four-pointers."

"If we win more than our share in our division and make a big improvement at home (Canucks won only 13 of 40 home games last season), then we should make the playoffs. But that's not enough. We have to do something once we get there."

Neale, who never missed the playoffs in six WHA seasons (four with Minnesota Fighting Saints and two with New England), will have 19

holdovers, 10 amateur drafts and three members of the Tulsa farm team. The Canucks shared in the CHL last season. There are six players completely new to the Canucks, including four Swedes.

Newcomers are goalkeeper Gary Bromley (Winnipeg Jets), defencemen Randy Holt (Cleveland), Lars Zetterstrom and Lars Lindgren and forwards Roland Eriks-

son, acquired from Minnesota, and Thomas Gradin.

The former juniors include the team's top three choices, Bill Dierlago of Brandon Wheat Kings, Curt Fraser of Victoria Cougars and Stan Smyl of New Westminster Bruins.

Neale says the new black, orange and yellow uniforms ordered recently won't be

ready for the exhibition games.

"We'll be playing in the blue and green uniforms here," he said. "I don't know if colors make that much

difference. It's the performance of the men in the sweaters which really counts and it's my job to put the 19 best players we have in them."

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Training camp roster

Following are the players Vancouver Canucks have invited to training camp in Courtenay starting Monday:

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Defencemen: Jeff Bandura, Larry Goodenough, John Grisdale, Randy Holt, Sheldon Kannegisser, Dennis

Kearns, Lars Lindgren, Bob Manno, Jack McIlhenny, Dave Morrow, Harold Smolts, Lars Zetterstrom.
Forwards: Rick Blight, Bill Dierlago, Roland Eriksson, Rob Flockhart, Curt Fraser, Brad Gassoff, Jere Gillis, Thomas Gradin, Hilliard Graves, Steve Hazlett, Don Lever, Phil Martin, Gerald Minor, Gerry Monahan, Chris Oddleifson, Stu Ostlund, Dave Ross, Ron Sedlbauer, Brad Smith, Stan Smyl, Rob Tudor, Dennis Ververgeert, Holdovers in bold type.

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Ali in full voice as training ends

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Muhammad Ali, who reacted quietly to his upset loss to Leon Spinks last Feb. 15, is in full voice for the Friday night's rematch and if words were punches, Ali would be a clinch to regain the world heavyweight boxing championship.

Ali imposed a ban of public silence for 2½ months leading up to first Spinks fight and some people close to the former champion feel Ali's boredom, resulting from the self-imposed communications blackout, helped lead to his upset defeat.

Ali now says he didn't talk because everybody considered the fight a mismatch, that Spinks didn't belong in the same ring. He's talking now—to the media, to the fans and to sparring partners through his mouthpiece.

Those who attend Ali's workouts at the New Orleans Municipal Auditorium are regaled with poems Ali has used for other fights, with bits of homespun philosophy,

speeches he's used on the lecture circuit and cries of "I'm the greatest."

Ali, who concluded his training Wednesday, held a news conference on the auditorium stage, telling the public: "I'm giving you the unique pleasure of hearing them ask the questions and me answer them. They wanted to hold the press conference away from the people, but I didn't because I'm the people's champion."

All them launched into a 20-minute monologue in which he listed the rankings of famous people as printed in a magazine and criticized the movie Star Wars as being silly. He once interrupted himself to say: "Look at them (the press), they're writing their fingers off."

He then entertained a question, answered it quickly and was off on another verbal blitz, this one lasting 16 minutes. He introduced all the members of his entourage, saying: "This is my team. I lost the last fight because I left my team. These are not hangers-on."

All answered a few more questions and left the stage to Spinks. It's an old and polished act, one in which Ali has entertained thousands in

gyms and arenas throughout the world. Spinks doesn't try to match it.

The champion noisily goes through his training sessions, but noise is the disco music that accompanies all his workouts. He is polite with the fans, signing autographs and smiling, and he talks most days with the media. But his media sessions are part of the job. Ali's are part of the man.

"Ali's one hell of a promoter," he's one hell of a man," said Spinks, who admits part of his image problem comes from constantly being compared with Ali as champion. But, he added: "I'm not going to be somebody I'm not."

The CBC national network and the ABC network will telecast the entire card Friday starting at 5 p.m.

The show will include coverage of the main 15-round heavyweight and three other matches.

The telecast, which will be shown on channels 2, 4 and 6 in Victoria will contain live coverage of the featherweight title fight between champion Danny Lopez and challenger Juan Malvarez and the world light heavyweight title match between champion Victor Galinder and challenger Mike Rossman.

An earlier bantamweight bout will be taped for showing during the three hours along with taped interviews and features.

In addition to the CBC telecast, 34 private radio stations across Canada, including Victoria's CJVI, will carry the Ali-Spinks fight beginning at about 7 p.m.



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Milwaukee sells Dave May

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Milwaukee Brewers said Wednesday they have sold veteran outfielder Dave May, 34, to Pittsburgh Pirates for the \$20,000 waiver price.

May, acquired from Texas Rangers May 17 for a player to be named later, hit .195 with two home runs and 11 runs batted in in 77 times at bat.

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10:30 a.m. — G. Tregear, D. Phillips, R. Ferguson, R. Harrington.
10:37 — D. Richardson, B. Macdonald, E. Hemstad, G. Brown.
10:45 — R. Swanton, M. Kennett, D. McLintick, P. Talava.
10:52 — D. Todd, W. DeJono, B. Wvatt, J. Radley.
11:00 — B. Spaven, B. McCue, B. McMurtrie, B. McDormand.
11:07 — P. Hicks, K. Terison, B. Coats, E. Simmonds.
11:15 — S. Spaven, W. Andrews, N. Galbraith, C. Mitchell.
11:22 — L. Mottershead, W. Acreman, A. Stewart Jr., A. Stewart.
11:30 — G. Denison, D. Russell, V. Auburn, H. Cockman.
11:37 — B. White, G. Rawnsley, N. Whiffel, J. Altman.
11:45 — I. Brown, J. Brown, E. Herf, T. Mason.

11:52 — D. Robinson, G. Kilgour, J. Fahy, J. Barry.
12:00 — L. Lucas, R. Shea, P. McKeown, A. Levins.
12:07 — K. Kenyon, J. Irving, B. Merivik, G. Kelly.
12:15 — C. Brown, B. Weir, R. Boyd, J. Collier.
12:22 — T. Peatt, B. Thomas, J. Sutherland, D. Amstutz.
12:30 — J. Pliszka, R. Lettier, B. Minsent, B. Appleton.
12:37 — M. Paschuk, B. Halstead, A. Cooper, N. Poulton.
12:45 — J. Maynard, D. Neilson, T. Foster, M. Melkie.
12:52 — B. Bowman, G. Mallocci, C. Kary, J. Hasiuk.
1:00 — B. Clark, R. Passmore.

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NHL changes faceoff procedure

TORONTO (CP) — The National Hockey League rules committee decided Wednesday to introduce an experimental rule for the coming exhibition season that would eliminate dropping the puck for end-zone faceoffs.

Instead of dropping the puck, the linesman will place the puck on the ice between the two opposing players who must wait for the referee's whistle before moving to gain possession.

If one player moves too soon twice in the game, he would be banned from taking a faceoff for the remainder of the contest. The rule would apply only on faceoffs in the end zones, not at centre ice.

The rules committee met prior to Wednesday night's Hockey Hall of Fame dinner. The NHL governors were scheduled to meet today. Among topics on their agenda was an appeal of a season-long suspension against New York Rangers forward Don Murdoch.

Juvenile soccer schedule

Schedule of weekend games in the Lower Island Juvenile Soccer Association:

SATURDAY

DIVISION 4A
Gordon Head Copen Jewellers vs. Gorge F.C.; Alestic Pk.; Lakehill Peter Potten vs. Lansdowne Evening Optimists Colts, Reynolds Rd. Upper.

DIVISION 7A
Duncan Rovers vs. Gorge F.C.; Sherman Road; Prospect Lake Islanders vs. Lakehill Quatre Electric; Prospect Lk.; Cordova Bay United vs. Gordon Head Lum's Greenhouses — postponed.

SUNDAY

DIVISION 4A
10 a.m.
Bays United Spartans vs. Gordon Head Smith Bros.; Henderson Pk.; Lakehill Radicon vs. Cowichan Roadrunners; Reynolds Pk.; Gorge F.C. vs. Lansdowne Evening Opt. Chinoaks; Hycinth Pk.

DIVISION 5A
Gorge F.C. vs. Lakehill Jadresco Construction; Kula Field; Prospect Lake Dynamos vs. Lansdowne Evening Opt. Tigers; Prospect Lk. Pk.; Bays United Travel World vs. Gordon Head Cosmo; Oak Bay High.

DIVISION 1A
Lakehill Totem Towing vs. Lans-

downe Ev. Opt. Olympics; Reynolds Rd. Sq.; Cowichan Chiffon Motors vs. Gordon Head B.C. Land & Ins. Sherman Rd.; Gorge F.C. vs. Juan de Fuca Kickers; Kula Field; Juan de Fuca Cosmo Royals vs. Prospect Lk. Gibsons Photo; Belmont High.

DIVISION 3A
Lakehill Meats vs. Lansdowne Ev. Opt. Cobras; Cedar Hill Sec.; Prospect Lake Hotspurs vs. Gorge F.C.; Prospect Lake Pk.; Salt Spring Rotary Canadians vs. Bays United Kicks; Portlock Pk.

DIVISION 3A
Gorge F.C. vs. Prospect Lake Rangers; Bullen Pk.; Lansdowne Ev. Opt. Patriots vs. Duncan Gyros; Carnarvon Pk.; Bays United Metro Toyota vs. Gordon Head Eagles; Henderson Pk.

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Racing results

VANCOUVER — Results of Wednesday's thoroughbred racing at Exhibition Park.

First—\$2,500, claiming, 3 year olds, 6 1/2 furlongs
Reformed (Daley) 5.30 2.90 2.50
T'Argent (Loeff) 7.20 3.50 7.10
Clay's Road (Wilkinson)
Time: 1:20.25
Amble Sam, Alfa C., Advocate General, Fabe's Pride, Catfish Kid, Roman Fred, Peavy Jack also ran.

Second—\$2,500, claiming, 3 year olds, 6 1/2 furlongs
Remi Tike (Cuthbertson) 7.50 3.50 2.80
Diving Girl (Stein) 4.20 3.30 4.20
Star Lodge (M. Menz)
Time: 1:20. Daily Double: \$16.00
Lady Selena, Sassy Des, Tee Wee Wess, Lynda's Pride, Aquila, Stevenson Hustler, Society Life also ran.

Third—\$2,500, claiming, 2 year olds, 4 furlongs
Two White Soles (Skor) 5.00 2.60 3.20
Order of Command (Carrin) 6.90 3.90 8.70
Arctic Rim (Krasner)
Time: 1:14.55
Layington Cop, Fleetin In, Tambura Cassie, Mon Petite Choux, Duffus Castle, Grey North, Freddie B. Good also ran.

Fourth—\$2,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 1/2 furlongs
Johnny Two Dance (Loeff) 14.00 6.40 4.10
Haydn's Choice (Creighton) 9.40 5.40 5.00
Morning Story (Arnold)
Time: 1:20.1-5, Exacta: \$29.10
Win Key, Devil's Daughter, Circle The Wagons, Coalstid Kid, Triple Two, Tifens Lodge, Akimpoal also ran.

Fifth—\$2,500, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 1/2 furlongs
Ballycray (Blondeau) 5.50 4.10 3.20
Don Music (Wolke) 7.20 3.40 5.90
Shelley's Pet (Daley)
Time: 1:21
Zippor's Quicker, Tencia, Little Beau, Piel Major's Dream, Rosie DeRiver, Our Nellie, Terwin also ran.

Sixth—\$2,500, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 1/2 furlongs
Samson Sands (Walker) 3.20 2.80 2.20
Little Miss Mace (Johnson) 5.40 3.70 5.70
Shaba Baby (Loeff)
Time: 1:19.1-5, Exacta: \$17.50
Clay's Road, Easier Dem, Bendine, Jet Of The Times also ran.

Seventh—\$2,100, claiming, 3 year olds, 6 1/2 furlongs
Comic's Wine (Crichton) 21.00 8.00 5.80
Parkhead Prince (Wolski) 4.80 3.70 5.20
Dannys Money (Brev)
Time: 1:19.1-5
Mr. Northwoods, Fleet Advance, Tanva Lynn, Hiro, Sweet And Discreet, Bruce's Jungle, Commander Jim also ran.

Eighth—\$4,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1 1/4 miles
Close Vote (Creighton) 29.40 10.00 5.90
River Of Ice (Arnold) 5.70 4.90 4.10
Marching Willie (Johnson)
Time: 1:46.1-5, Exacta: \$202.20
Talk On, Peep's 1001, Vicallino also ran. Track scratch: Andy's Star

Ninth—\$4,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 1/2 furlongs
Bird Of Courage (Bideu) 6.40 4.50 3.20
Dark Summer (Loeff) 5.60 4.10 7.10
Lee's Victory (Cuthbertson)
Time: 1:19.2-5
Boy Dancer, Jeon's Mac, Fleet Avalanza, Never Charge's Jr., Ori's Jet, Bandewer, Future Reference also ran.

Tenth—\$2,500, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 1/2 furlongs
Lady Isa Tramp (Smith) 5.00 3.00 2.80
Velvet Streaker (J. Menz) 6.50 4.90 12.40
Winsome Willow (Creighton)
Time: 1:21.5-5, Quinella: \$37.40
Black Lila, Winskim, Annie Aime, La Belle Lune, Shadow Cove, WinBram, Money Hush also ran.
Handle: \$793,822. Attendance: 7,388

New Stamp

CALGARY (CP) — Ken Johnson, a quarterback who was cut earlier this year by Buffalo Bills of the National Football League, has been activated by Calgary Stampers of the Canadian Football League.

Johnson, who will back up John Hufnagel, had been in Calgary on a five-day trial.

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Sports digest Dimitroff hired by Argonauts

TORONTO (CP) — Toronto Argonauts confirmed Wednesday they have hired former Hamilton Tiger-Cats head coach Tom Dimitroff to act as offensive co-ordinator under new head coach Bud Riley for the remainder of the Canadian Football League season.

Dimitroff, a former offensive coach with Ottawa Rough Riders, was hired as Hamilton head coach last year but was fired last month.

The Argos fired defensive backfield coach Jim Rountree on Monday after he said he was unable to work with Riley. Rountree had been a close friend of Leo Cahill who was fired from the head coaching position following Sunday's 27-2 loss to Montreal Alouettes.

Riley brought two players in on five-day trials Wednesday. They are defensive back Gary Weinlein, a recent cut from Cincinnati of the National Football League, and running back Phil Rogers who had been cut twice by Argos since training camp.

Embolism killed racer

MILAN, Italy (CP) — An autopsy on Sweden's Ronnie Peterson Wednesday showed that the 34-year-old auto racer died of a massive embolism due to injuries received when his Lotus was involved in a fiery, 10-car pile-up during Sunday's Italian Grand Prix.

Doctors said the clot prevented the blood and oxygen supply from reaching the brain, kidneys and lungs.

The racer died following surgery to repair extensive fractures to both legs, his right foot and right arm. Peterson lapsed into a coma around dawn Monday and died about four hours later.

Big bucks lure Polish star

WARSAW (Reuters) — The Polish youth daily Sztandar Młodych has criticized the country's star tennis player, Wojtek Fibak, for taking part in lucrative professional tournaments abroad at the expense of national events.

The Polish National Tennis championships began Wednesday in Krakow without Fibak, who is to compete with Tom Okker in a doubles tournament near Houston.

The Polish tennis authorities had purposely scheduled their championships after the U.S. Open so that Fibak could compete in both tournaments.

Kansas City signs Brunson

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Kansas City Chiefs signed holdout wide receiver Larry Brunson on Wednesday and then traded him to Oakland Raiders for a future undisclosed draft choice.

The National Football League club also re-signed kick return specialist Eddie Payton, brother of Chicago bear running back Walter Payton, after placing Larry Marshall on the injured reserve list.

Brunson walked out on the club a year ago over a contract dispute, then returned to play the 1977 season with the promise he would not return for 1978 without a new contract.

Boxing promoter blacklisted

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — A local boxing promoter, blacklisted by the United States Amateur Athletic Union for taking young boxers to compete in South Africa, filed suit Wednesday, accusing the AAU of illegal monopoly of amateur athletics.

Harry Miller, 73, director of the Rocky Mountain Golden Gloves, said his suspension by the AAU earlier this year has prevented him from participating in any events where AAU-sanctioned athletes compete.

Miller took 17 young boxers to South Africa in May and was suspended by the AAU for failure to get permission for the trip.

World ski meet for Toronto

TORONTO (CP) — The World Water Ski Union announced Wednesday that the 1979 world water ski championships have been awarded to Toronto—the third time a Canadian city has played host to the event.

The week-long event, to be held Sept. 16-23, is expected to attract more than 120 competitors from 30 countries.

The 1979 competition will also mark the second time the event has been held here since its inception in 1949. Toronto was the site of the championships in 1953 and Sherbrooke, Que., was the host city in 1967.

Trio leads assistant pros

LAVAL, Que. (CP) — Three golfers shared the lead Wednesday after the first round of the 54-hole Canadian assistant professionals' championship tournament at Isle-Mere Golf and Country Club.

Dan Talbot of Beloit, Que., Paul Kennedy of Brampton, Ont., and Serge Thivierge of Laval all shot one-under-par 71 on the 6,000-yard course.

The winner will receive \$1,200 of the total prize money of \$8,000 and will earn a berth in the North American championships at Brockton, Mass.

A total of 36 assistants are taking part.

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Nottingham Forest upsets Liverpool

By Reuter

Liverpool, defending European Cup soccer champion the last two seasons, was upset 2-0 Wednesday at Nottingham Forest, its English League First Division rival, in the first round of Cup competition.

It was Liverpool's 100th match in European soccer competitions, and one the club would just as soon forget. Gary Birtles, playing only his third senior game, put Forest ahead in the 26th minute and fullback Colin Barrett added a second goal after the interval.

Liverpool now faces a tough second-leg battle if it hopes to reach the final 16 and retain the coveted trophy.

Italian champion Juventus, packed with World Cup stars, could only manage a 1-0 victory in Turin against Scotland's Glasgow Rangers.

Highly-priced striker Pietro Paolo Virdis put Juventus ahead after nine minutes but they could not find the net again in front of 70,000 despairing Italian fans.

AEK Athens had no goal scoring problems, crushing Portugal's F C Porto 6-1 in Greece.

Another team in top form was Spain's Real Madrid, six-time winner of the European Cup, which slammed Progress Niederrhein of Luxembourg 5-0.

Turkish champion Fenerbahce stunned PSV Eindhoven of the Netherlands with a 2-1 victory in Istanbul. Dutch World Cup star Erny Brandis scored for Eindhoven, which last season won the European Football Union Cup.

Grasshopper Zurich's Claudio Sulser was the night's top scorer with five in the Swiss champions' 8-0 thrashing of Malta's Valletta.

Belgium's Bruges, beaten by Liverpool in the European Cup final last May, struggled to beat Poland's Wisla Krakow 2-1 in their first-round, first-leg home match.

Austria Wien, finalists in last seasons' Cup Winners' Cup, suffered a shock 2-0 defeat against Villazniga Schkoda, the first Albanian club competing in the European Cup for several seasons.

In the first round of the Cup Winners' Cup, Iceland's Reykjavik held favored Magdeburg of East Germany to a 1-1 home draw.

Frances' Nancy found itself shooting in the dark in its Cup Winners' Cup clash at Frem Copenhagen. Nancy officially complained about the poor floodlights before the match started and was still grumbling after dropping a 2-0 decision.

Fans and players were plunged into darkness in Belgrade during Partizan's European Cup game against

East Germany's Dynamo Dresden. The Yugoslavian champions had stormed to a 3-0 lead but failed to recap-

ture their rhythm after the blackout. West German fans had plenty to cheer about in the

UEFA Cup with Borussia Moenchengladbach beating Austria's Sturm Graz 3-1 and MSV Duisberg hammering

Lech Poznan of Poland 5-0. A West German club was also involved in one of the night's most exciting

matches — Fortuna Duesseldorf winning 4-3 away to Romania's Uni Craiova — in the Cup Winners' Cup.

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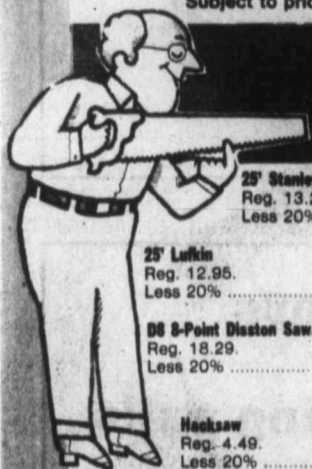
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Compensation termed illegal restraint

DETROIT (AP) — The National Hockey League's compensation requirements for free agents are an illegal restraint of trade and should be scrapped, an economist said in U.S. district court Wednesday.

"Compensation and equalization provisions have the

effect of contracting and in some cases virtually eliminating the market for free agents," James Koch, economics professor at the University of Rhode Island, testified.

Koch was a witness in the opening day of hearings to determine whether Detroit Red Wing Dale McCourt

should be sent to Los Angeles Kings as payment for Detroit's signing of free agent goalkeeper Rogie Vachon.

The hearing, before Judge Robert DeMascio, is on McCourt's request for a temporary injunction that would allow him to begin training camp with the Red Wings pending a final decision on

his suit seeking to block the move permanently.

The Detroit club opens training camp for veterans on Monday.

The 21-year-old Red Wings star filed the federal court suit against the Kings, the Wings and the NHL Players Association in an attempt to overturn an NHL arbitrator's decision sending him to the Kings for Vachon.

His five-count complaint accuses the three of violating anti-trust laws, restraint of trade, restraint of employment, two counts of breach of contract and abuse of an arbitration award.

That argument, which DeMascio identified as the crux of the suit, was forwarded by Koch.

"I regard it (compensa-

tion) as a restraint of trade. My conclusion tentatively is that it's unreasonable," he said.

DeMascio also heard from a well-known sports attorney, who argued that such compensation agreements effectively keep hockey clubs from bidding on players who may come at too dear a cost.

Vancouver Canucks said they were afraid of what they would lose in arbitration. The New York Rangers were extremely worried about what

they would lose. The Rangers indicated to me privately that if there was no compensation, they would be most interested in signing Rogie," testified attorney Larry Rauch.

Testimony is expected to continue today before DeMascio makes a final decision.

Phillips sparks U.K. squad to lead in Spruce Meadows

CALGARY (CP) — Mark Phillips and the British team have shown their colors early at this year's Spruce Meadows masters horse show.

Phillips was flawless in winning Wednesday's premier jumping event aboard Hideaway, while teammate Liz Edgar finished first and second in the only other international jumping class.

Twenty six riders from six nations tackled a difficult Cana Welcome international

course, but only Phillips was able to tame the big jumps without a fault. Alan Brand of the Langley team was second with Ian Miller of Perth, Ont., in third.

Edgar, considered one of the best two female riders, was both bold and quick in winning the Ginow Welcome stakes. She won the class aboard Wallaby in 63.7 seconds and directed her second horse, Make Do, to second place in 64.9 seconds.

Ham Winkler, five times Olympic gold medal winner from West Germany, was third in 71.3 seconds.

Points from the Nations Cup event, to be held this weekend, will decide this year's winner of the President's Cup, an award presented annually by Prince Philip to the national team

winning the most points in events held throughout the world. At this stage, England holds a three-point lead over Germany.

England has sent one of its strongest-ever international teams to the Spruce Meadows show while Germany has experience and youth on its side.

Canada, represented by Miller, Terry Leibel of Willowdale, Ont., John Simpson of Cochrane, Alta., and Bo Mearns of Victoria, is also considered a pre-show favorite since three of the riders finished on the top 13 at last month's world championship in Aachen, West Germany.

Riders will meet individually in competition until Sunday when the event closes with the \$15,000 Grand Prix of Canada.

Soccer tables

LONDON (CP) — British soccer standings after last weekend's games:

ENGLISH LEAGUE				
Division I	W	T	L	P
Liverpool	5	0	0	2
Coverly	4	1	0	1
Everton	4	1	0	2
West Brom	3	2	0	3
Aston Villa	3	1	1	3
Nottingham	1	4	0	3
Southampton	2	2	1	9
Man United	2	1	0	6
Leeds	2	1	0	8
Man City	1	3	1	7
Nottingham	2	1	2	4
Bristol	1	2	2	9
Arsenal	1	2	2	9
Bolton	1	2	2	11
Tottenham	1	2	2	5
Middlesbrough	1	1	3	5
Ipswich	1	1	3	7
Chelsea	1	1	3	5
Derby	0	2	3	4
Wolverhampton	0	2	3	4
Birmingham	0	2	3	3
Queens PR	0	2	3	3

Division II				
W	T	L	P	
Stoke	4	1	0	7
Crystal	3	0	8	4
Brighton	2	1	1	7
Burnley	2	0	8	4
Wrexham	2	0	8	4
Bristol R	2	0	7	10
West Ham	2	0	7	11
Preston	2	0	7	8
Fulham	2	0	7	8
Newcastle	2	0	7	8
Oldham	2	0	7	9
Nottingham	2	0	7	9

Evergreen high and dry

DETROIT (AP) — The American yacht Agape easily beat challenger Evergreen in Wednesday's third race of the 1978 Canada's Cup series as the Canadian craft ran aground at the third mark.

Arthur Gregory, manager of the Bayview Yacht Club which now holds the award, said the Canadian racer's centre portion and rudder were damaged during competition on Lake St. Clair.

Division III				
W	T	L	P	
Sunderland	2	1	2	5
Luton	2	0	2	10
Cambridge	1	2	2	5
Charlton	1	2	2	5
Oxford	1	2	2	5
Millwall	1	2	2	5
Leicester	0	3	2	3
Blackburn	1	1	3	7
Sheffield U	1	1	3	7
Cardiff	1	1	3	6

Division IV				
W	T	L	P	
Swansea	4	1	0	11
Shrewsbury	3	2	0	5
Hull	3	1	1	9
Peterborough	3	1	0	6
Chester	3	1	1	7
Walsford	2	2	1	3
Carlisle	2	2	1	8
Rotherham	2	2	1	4
Swinton	1	3	1	4
Mansfield	2	1	1	5
Sheffield W	2	1	1	5
Brentford	2	1	1	5
Chesham	1	2	2	6
Southend	1	2	2	6
Plymouth	1	2	2	7
Gillingham	0	4	1	6
Exeter	1	2	3	3
Blackpool	1	1	3	10
Walsall	1	1	3	8
Bury	0	3	2	6
Colchester	0	2	3	7
Tranmere	0	2	3	4
Oxford	0	2	3	1
Lincoln	0	4	4	10

Division V				
W	T	L	P	
Barnsley	4	1	0	12
Reading	4	1	0	9
Wimbledon	4	1	0	9
Grimsby	4	1	0	10
Aldershot	2	3	0	6
York	3	1	1	9
Scunthorpe	2	2	1	8
Hartlepool	2	2	1	7
Port Vale	1	3	1	9
Blackburn	2	1	2	7
Stockport	2	1	2	7
Bradford	2	1	2	5
Northampton	1	2	1	6
Doncaster	1	2	1	6
Torquay	2	0	2	4
Huddersfield	1	1	3	3
Bournemouth	1	1	3	3
Hereford	1	1	3	3
Carlisle	1	1	3	3
Crawley	1	1	3	3
Newport	1	0	4	7
Halifax	0	2	3	5
Rochdale	0	2	3	5
Wigan	0	1	4	3

SCOTTISH LEAGUE				
Premier Division				
W	T	L	P	
Celtic	4	0	0	14
Aberdeen	3	1	0	12
Partick	2	2	0	5
Hibernian	1	3	0	2
St Mirren	2	2	1	5
Dundee	0	3	1	4
Rangers	0	2	2	1
Morton	1	0	2	2
Motherwell	1	0	2	2
Hearts	0	1	3	4

Division I				
W	T	L	P	
Clyde	3	2	0	8
Dundee	3	2	0	7
Clydebank	3	1	1	13
Rath Rovers	2	2	1	7
Hamilton	2	2	1	7
Airdrieonians	2	1	2	11
Clydebank	2	1	2	11
Stirling	2	1	2	4
Ayr	1	2	2	4
Midvale	1	2	2	4
Dumfries	0	4	1	2
St. Johnstone	1	2	2	6
Queen of S	1	1	3	4
Arbroath	0	1	4	5

Division II				
W	T	L	P	
Stenhouse	3	0	1	9
Falkirk	3	0	1	10
East Fife	3	0	2	11
Forfar	2	2	1	7
Dunfermline	2	2	1	7
Brechin	1	3	1	7
Meadowbank	2	1	2	3
Berwick	2	1	2	3
Cowdenbeath	2	1	2	6
East Stirling	2	2	2	7
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Stenhousemuir	1	1	3	4
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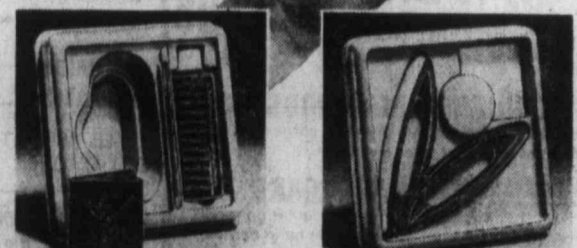
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A major international cultural and technological exposition featuring the countries of the Pacific Rim has been proposed for Victoria by the McPherson Playhouse Foundation.

Now being reviewed by Recreation and Conservation Minister Sam Bawlf's department, the proposal is still in its formative stages, and the foundation has asked the provincial government for \$150,000 to get it started by May, 1979.

The festival could bring in as much as \$3 million to \$5 million in revenue to the area, as well as making it the cultural and technological hub of the Pacific.

A report prepared by foundation president Allan Purdy notes that a major cultural festival of some kind has been discussed in Greater

Victoria for the last 15 years.

The area's climate, social environment, location, and strong cultural community would lend itself to a major festival of some kind. The foundation considered proposals with a variety of themes, including classical music, vocal music, classical theatre, a combined theatre, music and visual arts festival, a popular "Mardi Gras" celebration on the British music hall model, and a dance festival.

The problem with all except the vocal music idea, Purdy says in his report, is that internationally-known and established festivals with similar themes already exist elsewhere.

"The proposal for the development of this location as the host city and permanent base of a Pacific Rim cultural, scientific, educational and technological exposition captured the imagination of the directors and is herewith submitted as by far the best and most practical, not to mention visionary, suggestion."

May would appear to be the best month for the festival, since the three summer months are already crowded with events and tourists. The addition of a summer festival would completely "saturate" the area.

With the participation of the University of Victoria, Pearson College and other educational institutions, the business community, the arts community, and all levels of government, perhaps even including international organizations such as the United Nations, an association could be formed to contact the other countries on the Pacific Rim, including the U.S., Mexico, Central and South American countries, Indonesia, Korea, Japan, China, Taiwan, Australia and New Zealand.

Eventually, a year-round organization could be established to communicate with participating countries and agencies, leading each year to a three or four-week exposition of the sciences and arts in Victoria.

The McPherson Foundation would be prepared to initiate the administrative development of the proposal, which would have a development cost of \$175,000 to \$250,000 over three years, and net annual expenditures of about \$325,000 a year. But the festival and exposition would produce between \$3 million to \$5 million a year, growing as the number of events and participants increases.

"One could envision an exchange of artists, lawyers, scientists and representatives of the business community which could have wide-reaching effects upon both their relationships within the community and with their peers in participating countries," says the report.

Names in the News

Oswald lauded JFK



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The widow of Lee Harvey Oswald said in Washington, D.C. on Wednesday that when they lived in the Soviet Union, her husband tuned in former U.S. president John F. Kennedy's speeches on a short-wave radio and had only good things to say. Marina Oswald Porter, testifying in English, described for the House assassinations committee her life with Oswald, the man who subsequently would be identified as Kennedy's assassin. The pair was married in April, 1961, in the Soviet Union, a few months after Kennedy was inaugurated as president. Mrs. Porter said that when she married Oswald at age 19 about she knew of him was that he was an American and she liked him.

academician Andrei Sakharov called on Western countries not to boycott the 1980 Moscow Olympic Games and suggested they should use the event instead to work for a political amnesty in the Soviet Union. He said that that boycotts could not work in the long run.

The public librarian of Newton, Mass., under pressure to stock the Nancy Drew and Hardy Boys books in her library system, says they are "soap opera narratives" and not worth the expenditure of city funds. But 77-year-old Harriet Stratemeyer Adams,

who still turns out the detective stories for youngsters at a rate of two or three a year under pen names Carolyn Keene and Franklin W. Dixon, defends the works as good, clean fun for kids. "I think that libraries is not up to date on the books," Mrs. Adams said in a telephone interview from her New Jersey farm.

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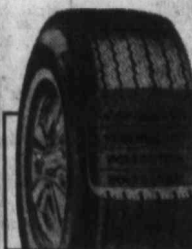
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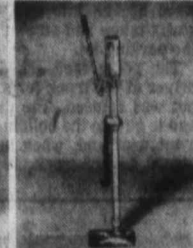
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PORTAGE, Mich. (AP)—The American Civil Liberties Union will go to the defence of a 14-year-old girl suspended from school for not wearing a bra.

"I don't think you can regulate underwear," said Bruce Stein, president of the local civil liberties chapter.

The girl's father said a teacher's aide noticed his daughter was not wearing a bra during lunch. "How could it have been disruptive to the educational process if nobody noticed until lunchtime?" he asked.

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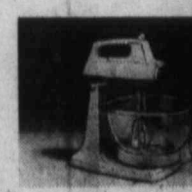
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UVic prof at rights congress

University of Victoria law professor James MacPherson is one of 10 Canadians attending an international congress on the teaching of human rights in Vienna, Austria, this week.

The congress marks the 30th anniversary of the signing of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, and is sponsored by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

The Canadian delegates are from various levels of government or are teachers of theology, law or the social sciences. One, Prof. John Humphrey of McGill University, was a drafter of the original declaration in 1948.

MacPherson teaches a course in first-year constitutional law, including a section on civil liberties and human rights. He hopes to develop an advanced course on civil liberties and human rights for senior law students in the future.

'Joy ride' costly to Vic Press van

A Victoria Press delivery van received almost \$1,000 damage after it was taken for a joy ride early Tuesday morning.

The vehicle was taken from the Victoria Press parking lot just before 6 a.m., bundles of newspapers were dumped on the streets, and it collided with a parked car and tree before it was found in a Lovat Avenue apartment complex in Saanich shortly before 8 a.m.

Saanich police questioned a

youth and later released him.

A spokesman at Victoria Press said there was a scuffle in the plant's mail room early Tuesday morning and a young man went to the cafeteria, where some cabinets were broken into and food-stuffs taken and strewn over the parking lot.

The youth then asked the driver of the truck for a ride but was refused. The driver had to go into the building for a moment and, when he returned to his truck, it was gone.

Recording role taken on by UVic

A future as recording studio may be in the works for the University of Victoria's new auditorium.

Three musicians recently spent two days recording an album in the auditorium, and if the tapes show that it went as well as expected, the auditorium could see more frequent use as the location for recordings.

The recording of Max Bruch's Opus 73, eight romantic pieces written in 1894 which have never before been recorded in their entirety, was by Ethan Sloane, clarinetist; UVic music professor, pianist Paul Posnak, professor at Mannes College of Music in New York; Alan Iglitzin, violinist with the Philadelphia String Quartet and artist-in-residence at the University of Washington.

Their album was made for Crystal Records of Los Angeles, a small company that produces high-quality recordings of obscure and rare works for music connoisseurs.

The album will have an initial pressing of about 3,000 copies with about 1,800 of them distributed to music libraries in colleges, universities and high schools. It will be included in the Schwann Record and Tape Guide this fall.

The recording session was sponsored by a UVic grant and the album cover will point out that it was recorded in the auditorium.

Sloane, who made the arrangements for the recording, had high praise for the acoustics of the auditorium. "It's a marvellous facility for recording," he said.

"Our main technical concern before recording was the noise factor, about which we'll know more when we listen to the playback. But everything has gone beautifully so far.

"Optimistically, within a few years we can work out some kind of contract with Crystal or some other small label to produce a minimum of four recordings a year in the auditorium," he said. "At UVic we have musicians of international stature and we have an excellent facility. There is a ready market for international recordings of lesser-known works."

UVic has an additional asset—recording engineer Herb Schaefer, a veteran of 36 years with the BBC, who has recently moved to Victoria.

Sloane has been working on arrangements for the recording for the last six months, but it came close to being cancelled when violinist Jaroslav Karlovsky, music professor at UVic, who had been practising with Sloane and Posnak, became ill. Iglitzin, a former member of the Philadelphia Orchestra, who had met Sloane at the Shawigan Summer Festival this year, agreed to take Karlovsky's place and while the session marked the first time the three musicians had played together, Sloane was pleased with the results.

Math anxiety a myth

That's just a 'popular slogan' of educators

"Math anxiety" in women, an innate fear of mathematical and scientific disciplines, is a myth, an American educational researcher says.

Patricia Lund Casserly, a researcher with Educational Testing Service, said in a study sponsored by the National Science Foundation that math anxiety was nothing more than "a popular slogan for educators and others to bandy about in professional circles and the media."

The problem lay in the customary attitudes and behavior of parents, teachers and guidance counsellors toward females, Ms. Casserly maintained. Many girls were allowed to drop mathematics courses because of a false belief that math was not necessary in the social sciences, nursing and the hu-

manities—career areas traditionally expected to be selected by girls.

"On the other hand, boys take mathematics all along since they'll probably need it in the careers that they, their parents, friends and counsellors assume they will have," Ms. Casserly said.

Without the four or five years of high school mathematics and associated courses in chemistry and physics, few young women could be expected to pursue college study and professional careers successfully in these areas, she said.

In examining 13 American high schools which had been successful in attracting women into strong mathematics, physics and chemistry programs, she found math anxiety no more common among women than among men.

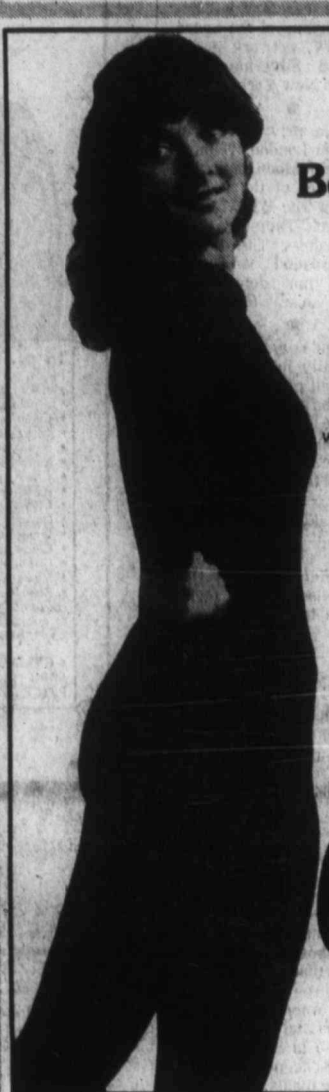
These schools often used older girls to counsel and tutor the younger girls, giving them someone with whom they could better identify. They also called parents directly whenever problems occurred.

Teachers in advanced classes in these schools seemed to work well with students brighter than them-

selves. This characteristic was important for young women who were "not the delight to their teachers that young men are."

"If young ladies make waves, they're seen as aggressive or worse. Young men who suddenly demand challenging work are seen as finally settling down."

Adults, particularly mathematics teachers, should take the lead in encouraging young women to remain interested in mathematics because of the importance of mathematics in the future, she said.



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Budget cuts bite theatres

The Daily Colonist.

Thursday, September 14, 1978

Section Three

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By JIM GIBSON
Colonist staff

For awhile last week it looked as though the participants at the Professional Association of Canadian Theatres were going to come out and announce a nation-wide strike of theatres in protest against expected grant cuts.

At least that was the hint to make the closing press conference a definite must-attend.

As it turned out, the press conference was hastily cancelled and the strike threat was reduced to the realm of speculation and rumor. Let's hope that's where it remains.

Surely one of the most ridiculous schemes to draw attention to the critical situation facing theatres and for that matter all arts organization would be to shut them down in defiance. Frankly the public wouldn't give a damn.

The sad fact is that Canadian theatre hasn't established itself to the point where Joe Canada demands its existence as he does the educational system and, forgive the comparison, the post office.

The very mention of a strike turns the public off regardless of whether it is denied a service it never uses.

Association head Greg Poggi was playing all cute and coy during a conference closing interview when he refused to talk about the strike or what, if anything P.A.C.T. had decided to do to draw attention to the critical situation. He did hint at a public awareness campaign and some additional lobbying of the government. Let's hope it is along these lines that Canadian theatres will find additional support.

Poggi and P.A.C.T. members were wise, despite disappointed reporters, in not detailing what plans they had adopted. At that time, the effects of the federal spending cuts on the Canada Council were not known. Indeed P.A.C.T. would have looked ridiculous coming out with some drastic reaction to something that when it was announced could be lived with.

As it is the Canada Council needs to pare a little over \$1 million from its budgets this season and next. According to reports out of Ottawa earlier this week, about \$800,000 of that was earmarked for artbank purchases. Certainly that's bad news for the artists, while the performing arts must feel somewhat like the dog just rid of a tin can on his tail.

CHIT CHAT

Practically anyone who was anyone in English speaking theatre in the country was holed up for three days last week in the Bastion's modest rehearsal hall for the PACT-conference. Some local participants weren't too enthusiastic about the conference in

terms of concrete results but felt it was great for making contacts with other theatre people. A big favorite was Stratford Festival artistic director Robin Phillips who according to Kaleidoscope's Barbara McLaughlin came up with the quote of the conference when he said "let us stop being jealous about each others successes."

That statement has special significance for Kaleidoscope which found itself along with the Provincial Secretary's department under fire from the Vancouver theatre community for the \$105,000 it received from the Cook bicentennial to stage Where Now, Captain Cook? Barbara who admits to being a trifle upset by the reaction hints that there is still more to come on that one.

Charles Barber who never ceases to amaze how willing he is to prove that politicians are hams at heart is going on tour with the symphony orchestra. Barber is to narrate Peter and the Wolf at Victoria and Sooke area schools throughout the fall. According to symphony manager, Jean Hunter, Barber, somewhat of a longhair himself, is quite excited about the tour. "I'm more excited as he's not costing us anything," said Jean who needs as many ways as possible to cut costs.

Jazz and gospel singer Louise Rose finally has her album that was recorded last spring in concert at The Belfry. It's a good record to have about the house particularly for those rainy nights to come when a dash of mellow is needed. Like all live-at-the-whenever albums this one is marred by applause and stage banter which means nothing to the listener at home.

Jerry Gosley is going back to The Empress next summer with an option on the next despite a season with several thousand less patrons than when The Smile Show was last at McPherson. Gosley is at a loss to explain the drop, despite more performances, than when last at the McPherson. Gosley prefers The Empress and the informal in staging it

depending how you look at it the summer wasn't particularly good to local productions. The Mac closed its Winkiepickers ahead of schedule, the Four Seasons limped its way through its

The Arts

run and The Belfry closed Dames At Sea, widely regarded as the summer's best show, well ahead of time. Somehow audiences just didn't materialize as expected particularly in those glorious hot days of July. The big winner was Allan Purdy's Two Plus Two Makes Sex which outdrew The Smile Show over the same period in August last summer.

The Bastion went into rehearsal this week with Pygmalion while Kaleidoscope been at it all month working on two shows and has just received George Ryga's script for his new play The Place Where Jerimiah Lives.

The Bastion still has places in its additional intermediate class at its theatre school. There's still time to get in on the theatres informal lecture series which sounds like it should be called Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Theatre and Were Afraid to Ask.

DATEBOOK

Sometime over the summer Spectrum Dance Circus surfaced in Victoria with recitals at Market Square and

the Newcombe Auditorium. Even if very little has filtered back about those performances, choreographers Constantine Darling and Lynda Ralno must be pleased with the results as the company performs again Friday and Saturday at the Phoenix theatre.

It's being billed as the Farewell to Now, Elmo concert but people may just be wondering where the Elmo Whiggitt jazz group is off to after its Saturday night appearance at the McPherson. Apparently nowhere for the time being, according to a spokesman for the group which has its fans among local lounge goers.

There will be a CBC variety show appearance in Vancouver and possibly some out-of-Victoria engagements before most of the group go off to Los Angeles to study music.

This sort-of-farewell concert features material from the groups as yet released and for that matter, produced album.

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tell me but it slipped her mind. I don't want to insult her by taking over. We've only been married six months. What do you suggest? —Sickvitt

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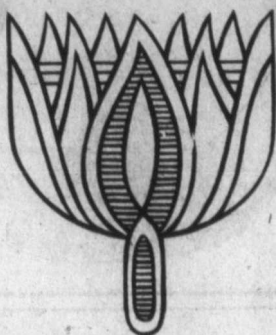
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It is a slow-motion race, befitting a science that counts in centuries: whisk-brooms, trowels and vacuum cleaners digging to beat the coming bulldozers and pile drivers.

"It is now or never," says John Schofield, 30, a field officer for the Museum of London's Urban Archeology department, "the office block that goes up here next year will obliterate the whole lot."

Forty amateurs, teenagers to pensioners, from Britain, Europe and the United States, most with only a few days of experience, are busy here at Watling Court, and another dozen a five-minute walk away in the shadow of St. Paul's Cathedral.

Ten professionals supervise and teach, record artifacts, take photographs and make drawings to be studied long after it is too late to dig any more, fitting pieces to the jigsaw map of ancient London.

The museum's five-year "rescue archeology" program has given tantalizing glimpses of Henry VIII's Bridewell Palace among other sites, and has already revealed much about how London grew.

Seventy per cent of the city has been rebuilt this century with modern foundations. Many precious repositories of history are safe for the time being, locked under islands of Victorian structures. But their days too are numbered, and Schofield worries about losing them.

"The end of the building recession has put the pressure on us," says Schofield. "To do this site right we



should have a year. At best we have four more months. "We're not bitter; it's a fact of life for urban archeologists. But next year we will have as many as 10 major sites coming open, and with our present resources we will be able to dig only two or three of them."

Continuity of life is sought here more than treasure. The possibility, for instance, that within this acre barmaids have been dispensing tepid beer for 1,900 years.

Here foundations mark what might have been a Roman inn. A few yards away broken bottles in a cistern hint at the site of a medieval public house. There was a pub in the Victorian pile that stood here until this year, and there will be another in the modern building that arises in its place.

"We are trying to understand why London is here, how it started, how it developed, and by understanding the mistakes of yesterday we might help prevent the mistakes of tomorrow."

Group from among 40 amateurs use trowels, whiskbrooms and vacuum cleaners in a kind of slow motion archeological race against bulldozers to

uncover traces of London's Roman past. Site that was once fortress called Londinium is to be obliterated next year by office block.

Dentists combat fear

WINNIPEG (CP) — Fear of dentists should be dealt with through mass education, says Dr. Ralph Green, a research professor at the dental school of Tufts University in Boston.

"As the era of really painless dentistry finally arrives we must make sure people get to know about it on a really broad basis," says Dr. Green.

Dr. Greene is attending this week's annual convention of the Canadian Dental Association to explain to the about 1,200 delegates two new developments toward the realization of painless dentistry. "Eventually I am quite certain the general status of dental health will improve significantly because people

will lose their fear of dentists," Dr. Green said.

He added the progress is not new, it had merely accelerated.

"I graduated from dental school in 1968 and I cannot think of a single dental material I use in my practice now that I used in dental school. They have all gone either through drastic changes or have been replaced by newer, better materials."

"The advance in the field has been huge and the rate of progress has picked up tremendously in recent years."

Dr. Green has been involved in research that has gone into the development of two new processes to be explained at the convention.

The first, a chemical spray, has started to replace dentists' drill in Japan and may be on the North American market within a couple of years. The second process utilizes a relatively new plastic material, a non-irritating polymer that has changed the soft contact lens industry, in the development of a filling material for root canal therapy.

Bulletin Board

James Bay New Horizons Society will meet at 10 a.m. Friday at 234 Menzies. David Jackman of the Energy Conservation Centre will speak on *Let's Conserve It Now!*

BRITISH-ISRAEL
Victoria branch of the British-Israel World Federation will have Frank Hall as its speaker at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Dominion Hotel, 758 Yates. His subject will be *The Awakening of Israel*.

FUN FAIR
The Order of the Eastern

Star Unity chapter annual fun fair and tea will be held from 1:30 to 6 p.m. Saturday at the Masonic temple, 679 Goldstream Ave., Langford. There will be children's games, a bake table, novelties and bingo.

DRIVE
A paper and bottle drive will be held in the McKenzie school-Swan Lake district by the 7th Douglas Scouts, Cubs and Beavers on Saturday. For pickup information phone 479-2263.

CRAFT FAIR
The Evening Guild of St. David's by the Sea Church is presenting a craft and hobby fair from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday at 5186 Cordova Bay Road. Luncheon and tea will be served. There will be displays, demonstrations and sale of crafts including paintings, stained glass work, pottery, weaving, Japanese writing, cake decorating and Christmas decorations.

SALE
Coronation court No. 6, Order of the Amaranth, is holding a "newly new" and white elephant sale from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday in St. Stephen's memorial hall, St. Stephen's Road, off Mount Newton Cross Road, Saanichton. Coffee will be available. All welcome.

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Malone, currently director of University of California at San Diego's extension courses for professionals in education, has taught and lectured on the subject of gifted children across the country and is the author of one of California's curriculum guides for gifted students.

She also is the mother of two gifted children, now

grown, and says she's gone through all the difficult phases parents of the gifted usually experience. "No matter how smart you know your child is, it's always a shock to find out that he or she is, in fact, gifted," Malone said.

Malone recalled several years ago when her daughter, then in the third grade, tested out with an IQ above the gifted range.

"Even with all my background, it still took me two or three days to stop wondering if her head hurt," Malone said.

She often calls upon her family experiences in counselling gifted children and their parents.

Malone said it is not unusual for the parent who has just learned he has a gifted child to go "less-than-crazy," enrolling the youngster in an array of extracurricular

classes — from ballet to scuba diving.

Parents, she said, often make the faulty assumption that the gifted child is, indeed, gifted in all areas.

Malone said it simply does not follow that the second-grader who is capable of sixth-grade math also will be capable of rivaling Mozart on the piano. If the interest is not there, the ability doesn't count.

The overzealous parent who keeps forcing more and more achievements on his gifted youngster runs the risk of the child rebelling, deliberately becoming a non-achiever, she added.

"The child may lose track of what it is that excites him and he may lose his self-confidence."

Cowichan show a winner

By MARILYN McCALL

Horse Happenings

The Cowichan Exhibition, the third fall fair on Vancouver Island in as many weeks, took place this past weekend. Although plagued by the same wet weather as the Cobble Hill and Saanichton fairs, the Cowichan event attracted a good number of entrants for the horse show, as well as the usual large crowd of fairgoers.

Lenore Wilson of Calgary judged the two day horse show. Friday was junior day, a whole day of classes for riders aged 18 and under.

Tracey Madson, riding Mad Moment, took first place in equitation basic seat junior B, equitation hunter seat over jumps junior B, and junior working hunter junior B. Riding R2D2, Leeann Duggan placed first in both working hunter pony under saddle and pony working hunter.

Both equitation hunter seat over jumps junior A and junior working hunter junior A were won by Lori Barkman on Lucky Red Boy. Corinne Rhodes rode Spring Lancer to first in equitation basic seat junior A and junior working hunter horse under saddle.

JUNIOR showmanship at halter (under 14 years) was won by Hope Irvin, showing Teddy Lee One, and the senior showmanship class (14 to 18 years) was won by Lori Larson, showing Trouble's Blond. Cathy Stone and Spearstone were the best local saddle horse or pony.

Equitation basic seat junior C was won by Lesley Blackstock, riding Gypsy Morningstar. Robbie Thorn-

ton and Fadlin Imp took first in junior show hack. In equitation hunter seat over jumps junior C, Susan Bowman and Tossancee were first.

Saturday was open day, a day which included both English and western classes. Hope Irvin was the big winner, riding Teddy Lee One to first in equitation stock saddle seat junior B, junior exhibitor western pleasure, open western pleasure, and western pleasure horse stake. Fran Joyce and Woodstock were the champion stock horse, winning English pleasure horse.

Both open conformation hunter class and the special award for conformation hunter were won by Jill Yonge and Rastus. Christine Van Horne and Amira Nigma were first in working hunter under saddle and open working hunter.

JACK DAVIS and Uppercut took first place in road hack 14'2" to 15'2", and Joan Cringan and Grouchy Abe took first place in road hack over 15'2". Both equitation stock saddle seat junior A and ladies western pleasure horse were won by Carrie Bowman and Explosive Prince.

Equitation stock saddle seat junior C was won by Lesley Blackstock riding Gypsy Morningstar. Show hack over 14'2" and up to 15'2" was won by Pat Holmes, riding JF Gay Blade, and show hack over 15'2" was won by Merydie Starck and Sonny Mountain.

The pleasure driving class was won by Gordon Maycock, driving Laurie Ann. In open jumping, Jamie Richardson and Pacific Sands, owned by Pam Lenko, were first. Fault and open jumping was won by Ian Roberts and Sunspot.

SEVERAL TROPHIES were presented at the show's end. The T. Eaton trophy, awarded to the rider collecting the most points in the Cobble Hill, Saanichton, and Cowichan fair shows in hack classes, was awarded to Peter Holmes and Elbe. Jamie Richardson, who was riding Pam Lenko's horse Pacific Sands, won the Buckfield trophy, for his achievements in the hunter classes.

The Doering memorial trophy, given to the most successful exhibitor in the light horse division, was awarded to Hope Irvin and Teddy Lee One. The most successful horse in the show, and the recipient of the Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harrison perpetual trophy, was Rastus, ridden by Jill Yonge. One other successful exhibitor was Eileen Miller, a Duncan resident, who walked away with the first four placings in the heavy horse division with her Belgian horses.

PAM LENKO of Duncan judged the Chemainus Western Horseman's Club open fall show on the weekend. The English aggregate award was split between two riders — Gillian Dunlop and Linda Martine. Gillian rode Fleet Heidi to first in hunter under saddle, show hack over 15'2", and thoroughbred under saddle.

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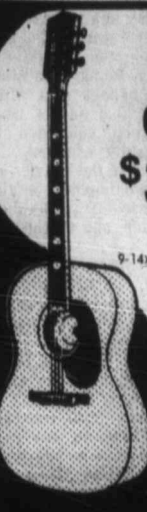
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Provincial court

A 36-year-old Saanich man who impressed Judge Harold Alder with an eloquent speech Wednesday in Victoria provincial court was released on surety bond.

Raymond Severny, 3359 Eldon Place, was charged with fraudulently obtaining food and lodgings from the Executive House hotel and restaurant between Sept. 9 and 13 and with possession of stolen refund vouchers from Eaton's.

Crown counsel Don Laughton alleged that Severny went to the hotel dressed in an Anglican minister's garb, using the name Rev. Raymond Reskinnoff, and amassed a \$100-plus tab before telling staff members that he had no money.

After Laughton read a lengthy list of previous criminal convictions, Severny decided to speak on his own behalf, spurning assistance offered by legal aid lawyer Scott Marshall.

Severny told the court he had been a heroin addict for 15 years but had been off narcotics for six years.

"There's nothing this court can do to me I haven't done to myself," Severny stated.

He said he was now an alcoholic and had fallen "off the wagon."

"I'm 36 and I'm sick and tired of being in jail," he said, pleading for his freedom. "I'm asking for a chance to help myself."

When Laughton questioned whether Severny's 76-year-old mother, who was proposed to stand surety bail for Severny, could hold any influence over a man who wore clerical garb, Severny replied: "My mother has more control over me than five policemen."

He said he got the priest's collar and other clothing from a "\$39.50 mail order course."

"It's too bad you didn't earn that clerical garb you wore," Alder commented, releasing Severny on \$500 surety bond.

In addition, Severny was also ordered to accept any alcohol therapy as directed during the interim period. He was remanded until next Wednesday for plea.

Alder ordered a pre-sen-

tence report for 19-year-old Richard Byron Barker, who pleaded guilty to possession of \$1,489 in stolen cash.

Barker was charged with theft of that amount Aug. 23 from Smith's Book and Card Shop, 736 Yates, possession of the stolen money, attempted theft, and wilful damage at the Oak Bay Recreation Centre.

Laughton said Barker and a companion entered the book shop at about 2 p.m. and knocked over a book shelf.

The store owner, who was making up a deposit, went over to straighten things out when one of the youths grabbed the money and both ran out of the store. The woman chased them along Yates Street but lost the pair, Laughton said.

They were picked up later in the day in a taxi after Oak Bay police were called about an attempted break-in on Newport. Police found Barker in the back seat with a black leather jacket beside him which contained two large bundles of money.

A check of the bundles indicated one bundle contained an American traveller's cheque made out to the book shop.

Concerning the other two charges, Laughton said, Barker and some companions were asked to leave the Oak Bay Rec Centre at about 6:45 p.m. July 11, and Barker punched out a window valued at \$34.72 near the door.

At about 11:30 the same night, Laughton continued, Barker was seen entering an auto on Belton Street, was chased and tackled, but escaped.

He was seen the next day by the man who chased him and Esquimalt police, who were talking to the chaser at the time, arrested Barker.

Breath tests a blessing

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Pair convicted of conspiracy

Verdicts of guilty were returned Wednesday in a six-day Victoria county court trial of two Victoria men charged with conspiracy to traffic in hashish.

Russell Tschritter, 33, and James William Buckner, 35, were adjourned on bail to be sentenced by Judge M.L.T. Drake at 9:30 a.m. Oct. 13.

A jury of nine women and three men also found Buckner guilty of an additional charge, of being in possession of a narcotic for the purpose of trafficking.

The two men were charged with conspiring between themselves and others unknown between July 15, 1975, and Jan. 6, 1976, to traffic in cannabis resin, evidence of which was presented by the crown in the form of tape-recorded wiretaps of hundreds of telephone conversations.

The second count, against Buckner alone, charged that he had a kilo of cannabis resin in a truck he was bringing to Victoria from Vancouver on Nov. 18, 1975.

Neither accused man chose to call evidence in his defence and Buckner, who said the evidence spoke for itself, elected not to address the jury. Counsel Douglas Christie, on behalf of Tschritter, had told the jury that opinion evidence of the police, based on tapes not proven to his satisfaction, was no better than his or their opinions.

Drake told the jury it must be satisfied beyond reasonable doubt before deciding guilt, and that the integrity of the tapes must be determined by it as part of the process. Jurors must be satisfied the tapes were genuine, not manufactured or tampered with,

and that the voices on them were those of the persons alleged.

He said the tapes in which alleged agreement between the parties took place could be narrowed to November, 1975. The jury had access to the tapes and a tape recorder during deliberations.

The jury retired for one hour, 40 minutes before lunch and just under two hours after lunch to return its first verdict at 3:27. Members of the jury were instructed to deal individually with the two phases of the second charge faced by Buckner.

After finding both accused guilty of the conspiracy charge and Buckner in possession of a narcotic as charged in the second count, jurors again retired for about 45 minutes to find Buckner guilty of possession for the purpose of trafficking.

At one point the jury asked the court to repeat the defini-

tion of trafficking. Drake said the Narcotics Control Act included manufacturing, selling, giving, administering, transporting, sending, delivering or distributing drugs or offering to do any of these things.

Christie asked for continuation of Tschritter's \$2,000 surety bail pending a pre-sentence report, to which Drake agreed. Buckner's bail was raised from \$2,000 to \$5,000 surety after the crown opposed his release pending sentence, on grounds of previous convictions including a \$100 fine in August for being in possession of a narcotic. Drake ordered weekly reports to a probation officer until his court appearance Oct. 13.

During the trial, one of the defendants mentioned the name of a B.C. cabinet minister, Sam Bawlf, in the course of questioning.

Policy urged on tenders

A majority of Saanich aldermen want guidelines established for accepting future public tenders.

Displeasure with existing procedures came to a head following Tuesday's decision of the public works committee to recommend to council acceptance of the second lowest bid for new street lighting equipment.

Nedco (Northern Electric) will be awarded the contract although its bid of \$48,527.33 is \$30.31 higher than the low bid from Wesco (Canadian Westinghouse).

Municipal engineer Clifford Warren said Nedco's equipment was being used in the municipality and he recommended the company's bid in the interests of standardization, efficient servicing and stocking procedures. Wesco spokesman Thomas Bradfield said his company

was offering the municipality a \$500 saving, rather than \$30, as photo cells were included with its quotation but these would be an extra charge with the opposition equipment.

Committee chairman Ald. Howard Sturrock said he was unhappy with the lack of procedures and policy affecting the acceptance of tenders by Saanich.

Ald. David Paterson said there would always be suspicion when a low bid was not accepted, and staff should be protected from this suspicion.

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Lawrence Welk at 75 a television institution

By LYNN SIMROSS
Colonist - Los Angeles Times Service
SANTA MONICA, Calif. —
They said the bubbles would

burst soon after Lawrence Welk made his debut with his champagne music on national television in July, 1955. They predicted he wouldn't

last the summer. Ah, but that just goes to show you that TV people don't know much about bubbles.

Welk at 75 is a television institution. He has outlasted all other programs and has never been off the air. When ABC canceled him in 1970, he returned the next week with his own syndicated show, now seen by more stations — 227 in the United States and 31 in Canada — than when it was on ABC network.

This week Lawrence Welk begins his 24th straight season on coast-to-coast TV. For him, it is a long-running love affair. It is the audience, he says, more than 28 million people a week, that keeps him going. He has no intention of quitting.

Welk, tanned and looking more than 10 years younger than his chronological age, sat behind the oversized mahogany desk in his Santa Monica office this humid morning, going over arrangements for some upcoming shows he will tape for this season (he does 32 programs, the best 20 rerun during the summer).

He arrives early each morning from his home in nearby Pacific Palisades to this handsome office overlooking the sea, so he can get away by noon for a round of golf if he has no other professional commitments.

He speaks candidly of his popularity and his music.

"If you want to learn something about people, it's a good thing to go out into the audience. The people know what they like and don't like. And they watch over me very closely. They are the ones who tell me when I go wrong. And then I know."

"I have always understood that our No. 1 job is to please people. And I think we've improved year after year."

Lawrence Welk plays, he says, what the people say they want to hear. If some critics say his music is dull or square, so be it. He plays it anyway, because a majority of people want to listen to it. His fans are loyal and there are many of them. One wall of Telekew Products (the name of his company, with Welk spelled backwards) is lined with extensive card files of names and addresses of about 350,000 people who have written to him.

Welk admits his following is an older one, mostly over age 45. He good-naturedly calls them his "mother-and-father audience." But lately he has captured some younger people, he insists. "More young people now than ever have come over to us. We have a pretty good-sized audience in young people."

This spring, Welk says, he drove to Wichita from Dodge, Kan., where he received an honorary doctorate in humanities from a college here. He and another musician stopped in the little town of Macksville to get something to eat.

"A man at the restaurant recognized me and asked if I could come over to the school," says Welk. "He said it would mean so much to the kids. Well, I wouldn't have believed it if I hadn't been there. The kids were in the auditorium. I think the school went from first grade through high school, and when we came in they started applauding. That was the biggest applause I ever had. I stayed for a half an hour and played the accordion. It was the highlight of my life."

Welk smiled, adding, "It must be parents still watch TV with their children in the farm belt and small towns."

Lawrence Welk came out of the farm country near Strasburg, N.D., in 1924 to pursue his career as a musician. He learned to play an old pump organ belonging to his family, and later convinced his father that he should have an accordion. In return for the instrument he promised to stay on the farm and work until 21.

Welk spoke little English, having been raised in a German-speaking family of four boys and four girls, and knew little about music. His father predicted that he would be back on the farm in a few months.

But he wasn't. By 1927 Welk had managed to put together a five-piece band called Lawrence Welk and His Hotsy Totsy Boys. They got a job on a radio station in Yankton, S.D., and stayed three years, doing their show and playing for local dances. "They all left me," Welk recalls. "All five of them thought I wasn't a good

enough musician. But I was learning. I didn't do well with other bands, because, well, the accordion is kind of an old-fashioned instrument. The other musicians would always squeal. The accordion has kind of a harsh sound. I tried the saxophone, guitar, ukulele, but I never got very good at them."

But Welk put together another band. In 1936 he was booked into the St. Paul Hotel in Minnesota and began to play other ballrooms in the Midwest under the name of Lawrence Welk and His Novelty Orchestra.

Champagne music and the Bubble Machine were conceived in 1938, when Welk was playing the William Penn Hotel in Pittsburgh and doing a radio show.

"We got letters from people all over," he says. "Most of them said our music sounds like champagne. So we changed it to 'Champagne Music Makers.'"

Over the years Welk has taken pride in finding young talent and training the men and women for his show. It is almost an obsession with him, he admits. He has set up a training centre for young men and women at Escondido, Calif., where he owns the 400-acre Lawrence Welk's Country Club Village, a mobile home community and hotel resort which includes an 18-hole golf course.

Welk's musicians have never had contracts. "They can walk out of my life if they want to," he says. "I can walk out of theirs. But when you operate on a complete freedom basis, I have to become responsible. They have to become responsible."

"I think people stayed with us longer than with other organizations," says Welk, "not because I am so easy to understand (he admits he is a precision-minded disciplinarian), but because we operate like a family and they like it here."

Some entertainers, including Welk's daughter-in-law Tanya (Lawrence and Fern Welk have three children, 10 grandchildren), have left to try show business on their own, and Welk says he encourages them to go "if that's what they want to do." Tanya, a singer, just completed a West Coast nightclub and concert tour, and Welk hopes "one of these days

she'll come back and sing with us."

Except for road trips (he plays two 10-day stints each year), Welk prefers to remain in Los Angeles, where he came in 1950 to play the old

Aragon Ballroom, later the Paladium. At the Aragon Welk found he had "inherited" a local television program on KTLA, from which he went on to national fame.

"My musical talent never

really developed," he says. "I am not a great musician. I had planned all my life to retire at 65, but I can't make myself do it. I'd miss the orchestra. Music is born into me. I like it better than anything else."

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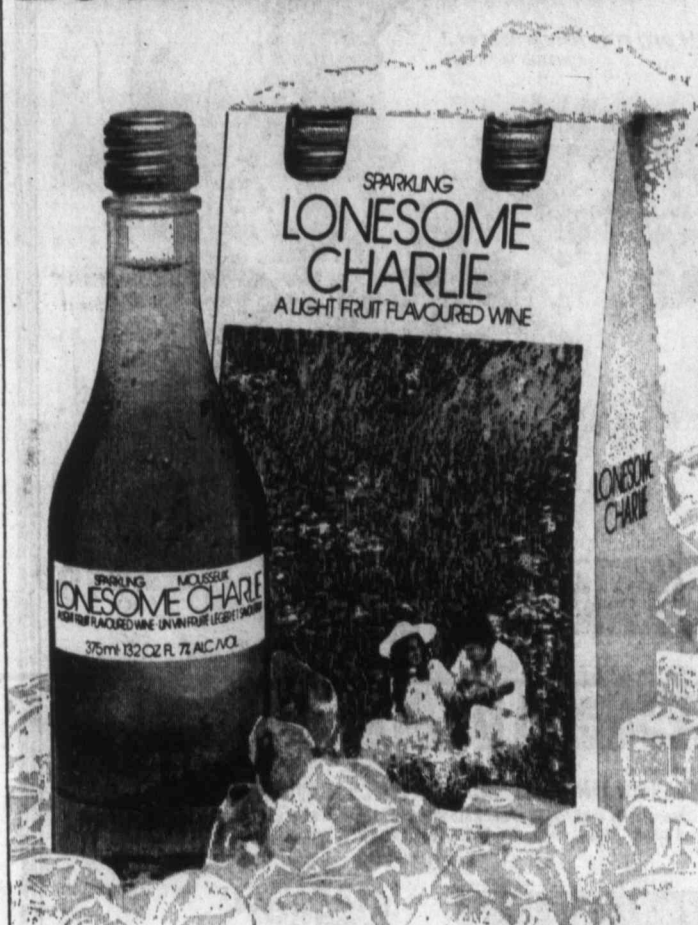
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U.S. District Judge Edmund Palmieri in New York fined the film company \$25,000 plus a substantial amount in court costs. The exact amount of the costs was not disclosed, but it included reimbursing the government for a grand jury investigation, travel expenses for witnesses, and lawyers' services.

In New York, the film company said the complaints "related to a few isolated incidents." The statement added, "To the extent that any incidents of 'block-booking' may have occurred, they would have been clearly contrary to the company's policy."

The indictment charged 20th Century engaged in a practice known as block-booking in distributing *Star Wars*, the highest-grossing film in history.

The company was accused of forcing theatres to show

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Cultural push a mystery

Capital Region Board chairman James Campbell will make an "ad hoc" visit to an ad hoc committee charged with the responsibility of pulling together the region's cultural and performing arts groups to see if he can make any recommendations, he told members of the region's executive committee Wednesday morning.

A somewhat mysterious in-

vestigation had been conveyed to executive director Dennis Young to have the region appoint a delegate to the committee, but various aldermen said no such committee had been appointed.

Victoria Ald. Murray Glazier said that Victoria Ald. Ron McKenzie had been given "with what some thought was malicious intent on the part of the mayor" the

responsibility for trying to pull together arts groups and trying to assist cultural development in general.

Young said McKenzie had approached him to say an ad hoc committee created by four councils had held its first meeting and decided it would be in the region's best interests to have someone on the committee.

Committee members, he had been told, were McKenzie, Oak Bay Ald. John Gault, Saanich Ald. Ian Cass and Esquimalt Ald. Barry Gilbert.

"It's interesting that Esquimalt would be there," Glazier commented. "They don't participate in anything if they can help it."

Saanich Ald. Fred Severn said as far as he knew his council had not appointed anyone to the committee.

"I will go on an ad hoc basis to the first meeting and see if I can make any recommendation," Campbell said.

Victoria Ald. William Tindall said he understood the group was talking about establishing a \$2 million trust fund, with the interest of the fund to be used to bring entertainers into the area.

"If you go to the meeting you may be able to buy a share in the Royal Theatre," he told Campbell.

Campbell said he had always thought the Royal should be a regional theatre, acquired by the regional board, but his suggestion was politically unpopular.

"All of us out in the boondocks are really quite glad that the people in the core municipalities like to carry the entire burden themselves," he said.

Coin buffs gear weekend show

The Victoria Numismatic Society will hold its annual coin show from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in the Georgian room of The Empress.

Derek Smith, general manager of the Royal Canadian Mint in Winnipeg, will be in attendance both days to answer questions from the public. Smith will have a mint production display and a 1978

Canadian gold coin on exhibition.

Also taking part in the event are Western Canadian and U.S. coin dealers, who will be buying and selling numismatic material.

There will be invitational educational displays of historical forms and types of money as well as competitive displays in eight categories—Canadian coins, world coins, B.C. numismatics, tokens and medals, paper money, single item, specialized and junior display.

Awards will be presented by Smith at an invitational breakfast Sunday. The host will be society president Fred Laidlaw in conjunction with the B.C. government.

The Victoria Numismatic Society is a non-profit hobby club which meets monthly at the Provincial Museum.

Marine Calendar

NAVY
Provider, Galliano, Kootenay, Terra Nova, Mackenzie, Saskatchewan, Yukon—returning Saturday. Endeavour—returning Friday.

MARINE SCIENCES
Parizeau—Esquimalt, Victoria—Quilich Sound, Richardson—Pat Bay.

COAST GUARD
Campbell—Cambridge Bay, Douglas—sailing west coast of Vancouver Island, Racer—Bella Bella patrol area, Ready—refit, Rider—Queen Charlotte patrol area, Vancouver—in port, Guard—on weather station.

MERCHANT MARINE
Taiwan Phoenix—Esquimalt, Georgis Gerontas—Victoria, Keyaki—Cowichan Bay, World Arg—Harmat, Falcon Arrow, Scapilli, Wakayoshi, Maru—Nanaimo, Bessegoen—Crofton.

Nuclear test in Nevada

WASHINGTON (Reuter) — A nuclear test of less than 20 kilotons was conducted underground Wednesday at the Nevada test site, the U.S. department of energy announced.

Somoza tightens stand

Martial law in Nicaragua as rebels fight on

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP)—President Anastasio Somoza declared martial law throughout his embattled country Wednesday night as national guard troops clashed with guerrilla-led rebels trying to overthrow him.

The decree, which Somoza said would last 30 days, suspends constitutional guarantees.

Four government planes Wednesday bombed the central Nicaraguan city of Leon, the country's second-largest, but failed to flush out rebel insurgents in control of most districts.

Witnesses said the air attack came at around midday and was aimed at areas where rebel forces were concentrated.

A local civilian pilot said the government forces used a fighter plane and three light spotter aircraft to bomb and strafe the city.

The number of casualties was unknown as Red Cross teams, trapped between zones held by opposing forces, were unable to reach the areas hit.

Earlier Wednesday, Somoza sent battle-weary troops to northwestern Nicaragua to dislodge rebels dug in at three key cities in a fight to control this Central American country.

Government sources said troops, tired from five days of battling insurgents in Masaya and other cities, were moved toward Leon, Estilí and Chinandega, major cities in Nicaragua's most populous northwestern sector. The number of troops involved was not immediately known.

In 1974, after a guerrilla raid and kidnapping of 40 prominent Nicaraguan citizens that brought the first world attention to the Nicaraguan guerrilla movement, Somoza declared martial law in a decree that was not lifted until a year ago, and then only under American pressure.

In preparation for the government sweep, guerrillas threw up cobbled stone barricades on the Pan American Highway leading to the cities, stopping all traffic.

More than 400 persons have been killed and at least 800

wounded since the bloody street fighting erupted Saturday night when the guerrillas of the Sandinista Liberation Front launched their offensive against government troops.

The rebels said they intended to hold Leon, Nicaragua's second largest city, until Somoza steps down.

The national guard—a 7,500-man force that serves as both the army and police—appeared to have regained control of Masaya, 25 kilometers southeast of the capital, after four days of fierce battles. Sporadic gunfire was still heard at barricades on the outskirts of Masaya as the guerrillas continued their sniper fire.

The central bank halted conversion of the national currency, the cordoba, into other money, apparently to prevent the flight of wealth.

Thousands of refugees fled north to Honduras and south to Costa Rica.

Costa Rica said a Nicaragua

air force plane strafed a truck on the Costa Rican side of the border Tuesday, and asked the permanent council of the Organization of American States for "urgent application" of OAS peacekeeping mechanisms.

Somoza has repeatedly re-

fused to resign. He insists he will stay in office until his term expires in 1981, but some of his anti-communist opponents fear the longer he stays in power, the more moderate Nicaraguans will support the guerrillas' cause.



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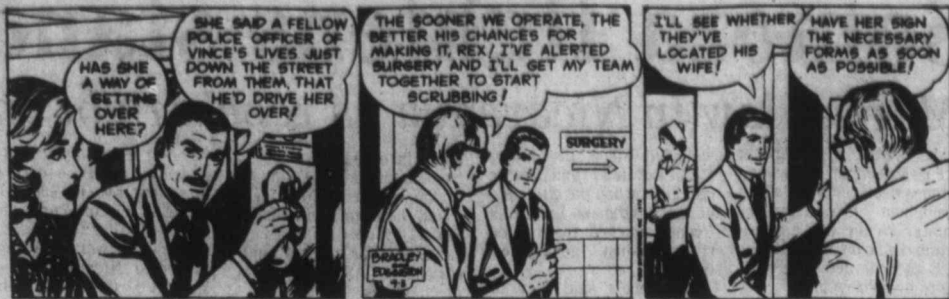
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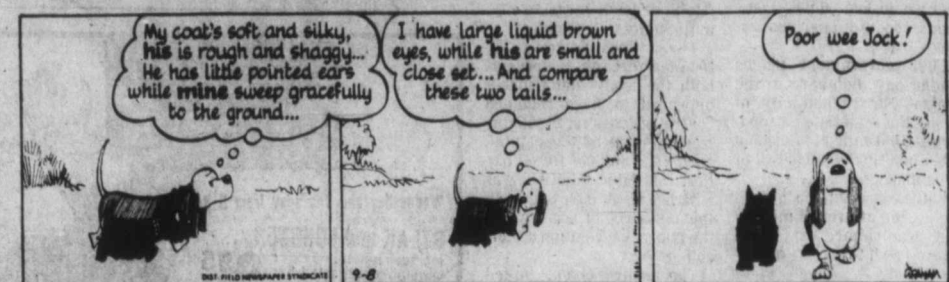
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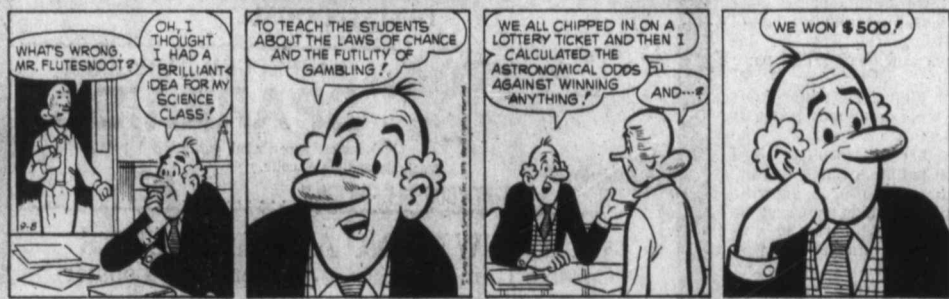
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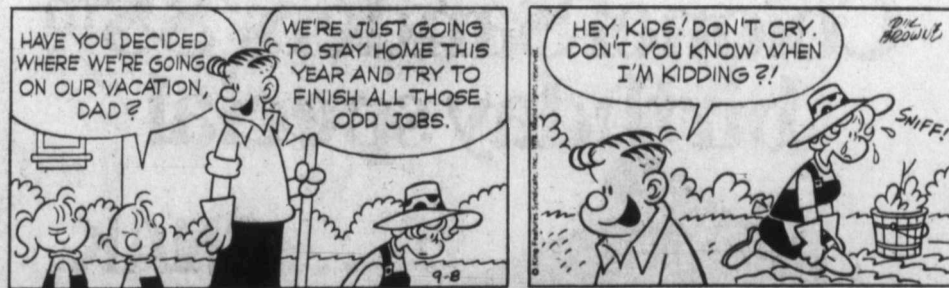
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M. V. Chesnut's Garden Notes

The planning and design of a perennial flower bed certainly isn't the easiest job in the world. It is rather like putting together a jigsaw puzzle, and you must juggle with such factors as height of plant, color of flower, season of flowering and rate of spread until it all comes out right.

It is possible, of course, to buy plans for a perennial border or get them out of a book, but this is rather like looking up the answers to a crossword puzzle, and I think it is more fun to work things out for yourself. Go ahead and make your inevitable mistakes — they can all be corrected later on.

One obvious error in planning is to place the tall subjects too far forward and the little fellows too far back, where they can't be seen. No great harm is done here — you just shift them around to better positions, either in the fall or in the spring before growth commences. But do make the necessary notes during the growing season when these faults are observed, for they all look alike when the topgrowth dies down.

I think it is a mistake to plant too formally, though, with all the tall plants lined up in the back row, all the medium

growers in the middle row and all the dwarfs in a straight line across the front of the bed.

Such an arrangement looks unnatural and regimented, and always reminds me of the way the school photographers would group the kids in our class according to height while posing us for the class photograph on the school steps.

A better plan, for my money, is to bring the tall plants forward here and there along the length of the bed, thereby creating a series of bays, each one filled with smaller plants. In this way, each bay opens up a new vista as you stroll along the bed.

A common fault in perennial flower beds is to have too many of the plants blooming in late spring, making a great splash of color in June but with very little interest for the rest of the season. Obviously the thing to do here is to mix them up, keeping the border in balance by planting enough of the midsummer and fall-blooming kinds and distributing these throughout the bed so no seasonal gaps appear.

Some gardeners rely upon a second crop of bloom from the spring-flowering plants to provide late color. When the

lupins, delphiniums, anemones and pyrethrums finish their first period of bloom, they are cut to the ground and given a mulch of old manure to induce a second and later display.

This technique works fine on certain vegetables and on the cut-and-come-again kinds of annuals, for these plants are expendable anyway, but when applied to the true perennials, the plants deteriorate gradually.

The second crop of bloom is nothing like as good as the first, and the roots are so weakened through overwork that next spring's display must inevitably suffer.

As I have mentioned many times before, the period following the flowering is a time of recuperation for all permanent plants. The vitality of the plant is at its lowest ebb, for it has shot the works on a flowering spree and must build up its reserves again, slowly, through the action of sunlight on the leaves.

Remove the spent flower heads before they can set seed, by all means, but allow all healthy leaves to remain in full operation, for it is the function of these green food factories to plump up the roots for next year's display.

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — When President Carter first introduced his energy bill, he described it as the "moral equivalent of war." The bill now being debated in the Senate bears no resemblance to the one Carter asked for. What went wrong?

To find out I went to see an energy general at his headquarters. He had charts all over the war room and his aides were pushing dollar signs back and forth across a large map on the table.

"How's the war going?" I asked. "Everything's going according to plan," he replied. "Our boys should be home from the Senate by Christmas."

"Reports from the front lines indicate your people took a terrible mauling from the oil and gas companies, and the energy bill that the commander-in-chief was hoping to get is in ruins." The general scowled, "We

had to destroy the bill to save it." "But didn't your people surrender on every major front?"

"We didn't surrender," he said. "We made an orderly retreat. When you're waging the moral equivalent of war, you have to expect casualties."

We lost the battle on deregulation of gas, and we suffered a setback on the excise profits on oil, and we were hit with a surprise attack in our attempts to make industry switch from gas to coal. But we decided they weren't worth fighting for."

Our main objective now is to rescue the energy bill before it is killed." "I thought the original objective was to protect the consumer and conserve our oil and gas supplies."

"The consumer is safe," the general said. "He may have to pay more for gas and oil if the bill is saved, but you can't fight a moral war with-

out some civilians getting hurt. The strategy of the commander-in-chief is to win the hearts of the people so we can have free elections in 1980."

"What about conservation? Your forces seem to have lost that battle."

"We haven't lost the battle. We've just changed our tactics. Instead of charging up the Hill, we have the enemy surrounded. If they expect to survive, they're going to have to produce more oil and gas."

Our troops are dug in and our intelligence indicates morale amongst the major oil companies is dropping every day. It's only a matter of time before the energy forces that have been fighting us will wave the white flag."

"They seem to have won everything they wanted. Even if they sued for peace tomorrow what will your side have gained?"

The general said bitterly, "The media keep saying we're losing. But there is

more at stake here than whether we win or lose a few skirmishes. Do you realize that if we don't save the energy bill the entire prestige of the United States will go down the drain? The dollar will be attacked and the national will of Americans to fight for energy will be in doubt."

An aide put several more dollar signs on the map. "What's he doing?" I asked the general.

"We have to put more bucks into the line," the general said. "Our original estimates of what this war would cost every American were much lower than we thought."

"Why don't you people just quit and start all over again?"

"Because," said the general tartly, "the commander-in-chief doesn't want to go down in history as the first president who lost a moral equivalent of war."

Sydney Harris

"You Americans are the most generous people in the world," remarked a British doctor at dinner the other evening, "but your lack of patience almost cancels out the good effects of your generosity."

He is currently engaged in medical research in the United States, and said, "Do you know how a researcher divides his time? He spends 40 per cent of it trying to raise funds, another 40 per cent writing papers that seem to justify his work, and 20 per cent in actual research."

"Leaving exactly nothing left over for his wife," I put in the resigned-looking lady next to him.

"Seriously, though," he continued, "I have spent less than half my time here engaged in research, although that is my prime purpose. You Americans

are a bluntly pragmatic people — you want results, and results are all that count."

"But results can't be promised in research. A researcher may make a hundred false starts, may 'waste' a year on a fruitless quest. As Huxley said, the advance of science depends on learning the wrong ways to do things — when we eliminate the wrong ways, we hope to find the right way."

"Not only do I have to go out and seduce contributors — that would not be so bad — but I also am forced to engage in what must be called propaganda. That is, I regularly have to turn out reports and lectures which put the most promising view on my research."

"Actually, I don't know whether my work is going to be fruitful or not. I can only hope, and do my best. May be 30 years will be wasted — and a

week after I die, another man will use an insight from my work to find what I have been looking for a lifetime."

"This is the nature of true scientific research: it's not 'practical,' in the sense that a time limit can be set, or positive results can be glowingly presented in a stockholders' brochure. We operate in the dark, with a tiny light, and we stumble onto the truth more often than we reach it by design."

"Americans are a young, vigorous, aggressive, get-things-done people, and they believe that any objective can be reached with enough drive, money and energy. They forget that patience is the greatest of intellectual virtues — and that research is basically an intellectual pursuit, not a football game in which the biggest and fastest team gets across the goal first. Can you explain this to your readers?"

James Bacon's Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD — Within the past few years, a Gay Mafia has risen to tremendous power in Hollywood.

Judging from what I hear from straight moviemakers and stars, it pays to be gay in the New Hollywood. It helps your project immeasurably.

Hollywood has always had a strong gay influence even in the silent days but nothing like what is happening today.

Its modus operandi is causing concern in the industry among non-gays and, strangely enough, among some in what I call the well-adjusted gay community.

The latter feel that some of the powerful Gay Mafia are giving them a bad name. One of them, a major producer of box office movies, is a chicken hawk. Or so many gays tell me. A chicken hawk, for the uninitiated, is one who preys on young boys under 16. Hollywood Boulevard is filled with runaway boys in that age group. The Los Angeles Police Department has had its hands full with that problem for some time.

The Gay Mafia works, like its namesake, in insidious ways. For instance, there is a po-

tent box office movie out now with a PG rating. Some teenagers and pre-teens have seen it five or six times, so tremendous is its appeal to the young.

Right in the middle of the show, its producers inserted a blatant obscene gesture. You have to look fast to see it but it's there.

One source connected with the picture who fought against the gratuitous ob-

scene bit said it stayed in because it utilized gay friends of the producers. Pure camp, they argued.

The Gay Mafia isn't confined only to the making of movies and TV. It also figures in the exploitation.

There are gay press agents in the business who have their feminine stars programmed to talk only with gay columnists — we have them, too — or else woman

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Even the gay moviemakers channel their news in the same way.

One of the top woman TV stars won't make a move unless okayed by her press agent, who once lived with her male hairdresser.

The situation is alarming and getting out of hand.

PIXIEN



Ambitious reform program started in 1963

Iran turbulence still going on

By FRANCIS B. KENT
Colonist - Los Angeles Times Service

The turbulence sweeping Iran dates back to 1963, when Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi began an ambitious program of reforms. These were designed to put social development in the oil-rich country on an equal footing with industrial production.

The cornerstone of the program, which was described as a "white revolution," was land reform, but it also promoted women's suffrage, a revolutionary step in a predominantly Moslem country.

Hard-core conservatives denounced the program as an affront to orthodox Islamic precepts, and other opposition groups came out in support of the conservatives.

Serious outbreaks of violence occurred in several Iranian cities last fall, based in part on opposition to land reform — some religious-owned lands were confiscated — and emancipation of the women. But some of it was described as militant action on the part of students and other young people known officially as Islamic Marxists.

In October, rioting students called on the government to permit the return of a Moslem leader who had been exiled to Iraq since 1963 for opposing the reforms. The Shah responded by calling

Land reform keys 'white revolution'

their demonstration "outright treason," and said they wanted to set Iran back 1,300 or 2,000 years.

Iranian government spokesmen have said repeatedly that foreign communists are behind the opposition. Western diplomats, however, tend to feel that many of those involved are young people disillusioned at not being able to share in the wealth produced by Iran's oil.

Since the first of the year, rioting has erupted time and again in cities across Iran. On several occasions, the police supported by troops have opened fire, killing scores of young people.

A month ago, in an attempt to placate his opponents, the Shah dismissed his prime minister and replaced him with Jaafar Sharif-Emami, a man considered more sympathetic to the religious conservatives. At the same time he

removed a ban on political activities and restrictions that had been imposed on the press.

But the opposition became more intense. More than a dozen political parties were formed. Anti-Shah demonstrations erupted throughout the country. Last week the

government decreed martial law.

The United States is deeply interested in Iran. It sells substantial quantities of arms to Iran (\$4.8 billion in 1975) and buys substantial quantities of oil. Roughly 40,000 Americans, including a military mission, are involved in Iran's effort to modernize.

Washington also shares Iran's concern stemming from its strategic position on the Soviet border. The Shah once told an interviewer:

"There exists what I call the U.S.S.R. pincer movement. There exists their dream of reaching the Indian Ocean through the Persian Gulf."

U.S. concern over the current unrest was expressed by President Carter in a telephone call to the Shah Sunday. According to a White House statement, the president "reaffirmed the close and friendly relationship between Iran and the United States and the importance of Iran's continued alliance with the West."

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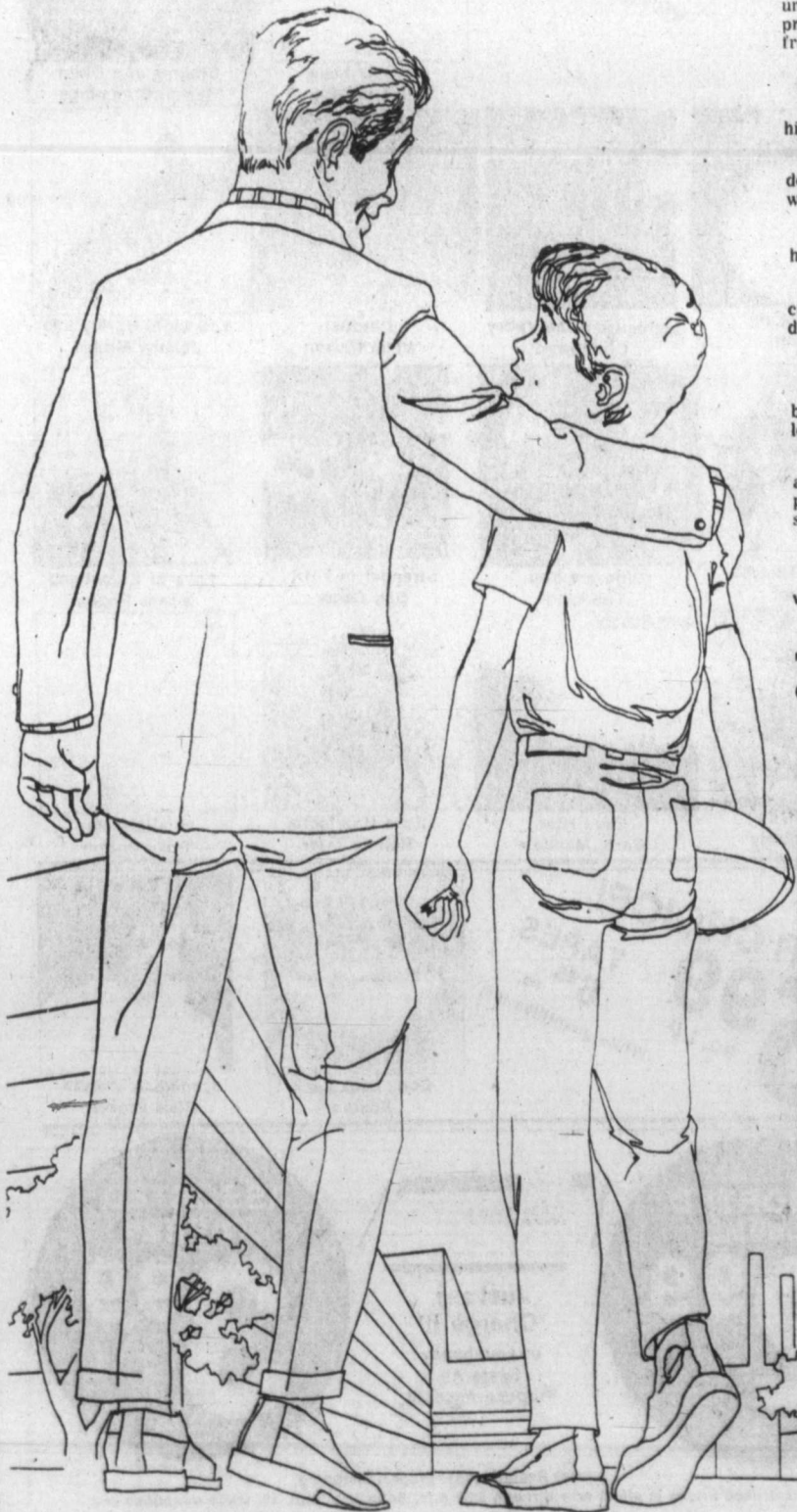
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LONDON (AP)—Six confirmed cases of typhoid fever were reported in Britain on this week. Health authorities said three of the victims became ill after a Mediterranean cruise on a Soviet ocean liner.

Health officials said they were trying to trace another 500 persons who went on cruises aboard the liner *Litva* last month.

They said there was no firm evidence yet that the infectious disease was being spread by the Soviet ship and three of the confirmed cases

appeared to have no connection with it.

The typhoid alert began last weekend when three Britons, including a 12-year-old girl, came down with the disease two weeks after returning from a cruise on the *Litva*. They are now in hospital for treatment.

Medical checks are planned on the liner and its crew when it docks Saturday at Tilbury, on the Thames east of London.

Last month more than 100 passengers who took a two-week *Litva* cruise signed a

protest petition saying cockroaches, unwashed crockery and other unclean conditions caused food poisoning on board.

One passenger, Terence Starr of Bristol, said, "It was an awful trip. The food was dreadful and I was ill for some of the time."

A Port of London medical officer boarded the liner Sept. 2 and found it unhygienic, informing the ship's master of needed improvements.

Samples were taken from the ship's water supply and medical tests conducted on

the crew. CTC Lines, the cruise organizer which chartered the liner, said analysis showed "nothing to indicate typhoid," and water supplies were free of infection.

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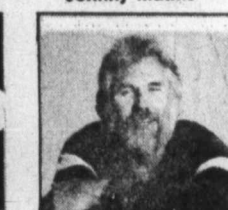
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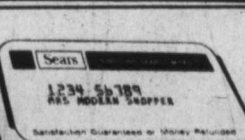


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Mental manual labor: Author William Blatty of Exorcist fame describes writing in refreshing departure

By LESLIE HANSCOM
Colonist - Newsday Service

NEW YORK — There is a stage in the writing of fiction, practitioners of the craft like to tell us, when the characters imagined by the author exert a will of their own and take over the story. In a refreshing departure from this bromide, William Peter Blatty says that the idea of such a thing happening is harder for him to understand than the demonic possession on which he based his novel and screen play, *The Exorcist*. "When I'm writing," Blatty confesses, "if I stop straining for a second, my characters just stand there looking dumb."

Blatty is one of the luckiest crew of writers who have to grunt at their work with a minimum of help from the muse. "Oh, once in a while I've enjoyed it," he says. "There were times when I felt *The Exorcist* was going well and the excitement would keep me at it for 18 hours at a stretch. And when I was writing humorous stuff like *Which Way to Moscow, Jack?*, I'd sit at the typewriter at 3 a.m. and laugh out loud. . . But most of the time, I think of it as mental manual labor."

Blatty has written a number of screenplays and even books — or maybe the count should be six and a half. The latest, called *The Ninth Configuration*, is a reworking of a novel published 11 years ago under the title of *Twinkle, Twinkle, Killer Kane*. Both books have to do with a top secret military hospital in which the patients are inviolated officers who may be crazy or may be faking. In charge of this large cast of crypto-nuts is a psychiatrist whose sanity is open to question also. The first version of the novel, according to the author, was little more than a string of sketches in the black humor vein. Now Blatty has overhauled it and given the story a philosophical dimension in which to ventilate some ideas on guilt, faith and reality.

Blatty was dissatisfied with the earlier version for lacking a moral centre — the same complaint he makes of the screen version of *The Exorcist*. The director of the movie, he says, was concerned with theatrical effects and not at all with the spiritual and theological rumina-

tion which Blatty put into the script. The film was cut accordingly. "It's hard to argue with success," the author says, "but on the screen, it was nothing but a classic horror movie." Partly to forestall the same thing happening again, Blatty has just filmed *The Ninth Configuration* in Hungary — this time acting as director himself.

The prestige now enjoyed by movie directors is mostly nonsense in Blatty's view. He believes the mechanics of the craft can be mastered in a couple of hours. In his case, he says, it was simply a matter of knowing what he wanted and playing father figure to the actors. He worked with some very good ones — Stacy Keach, Moses Gunn and the actor-playwright, Jason Miller. "All of them," Blatty says, "seemed to feel they were involved in something extraordinary. The day we finished, Jason told me, 'This has changed me. I'm a different man.'"

The movie will be shown some time next year. Blatty now has 20 hours of film to edit down to normal program time. Compared to writing a novel, this isn't a challenge which gives him much anxiety. Even writing a screenplay is incomparably easier, according to Blatty, than writing narrative fiction. "I've never taken more than six weeks to write a script," he says, "but in a novel, you can't just say, 'now the armies fight.'"

Blatty's parents came from

Lebanon, and he has the dark, emphatically defined features of the eastern Mediterranean. He lives in Washington, where he is rearing a second family. The three children of his first marriage are now grown up. From his present marriage, he has an infant and a 2-year-old. He feels he is a better father the second time around. "I was so young the first time," he says, "that I needed a father myself."

Although *The Exorcist* was a best seller, Blatty was never able to think of himself as a success until the sensation created by the movie. He worked as a university publicist and wrote at night. The movie changed his economic status so agreeably that he is reconciled to being identified forever as the author of *The Exorcist*. "I was having a conversation with Robert Nathan," Blatty says, "and he remarked to me, 'No matter what you and I write, we'll always be remembered for one book.' In his case, it was *Portrait of Jenny* — and he has written so many novels."

Another inevitability of Blatty's career is that, thanks to *The Exorcist*, he is always consulted as an ex-

pert on the occult. He still insists that the novel was based on an actual case of demonic possession. In fact, when he first considered writing about it, he planned a nonfiction book written in collaboration with the priest who performed the exorcism. It was only when the priest's

archbishop and the family of the victim objected to the project that he turned it into a novel, changing the possessed individual from a boy to a girl.

Contrary to the foofaraw in the press, Blatty says, the movie never did set off an epidemic of demonic fits. Ac-

tual possession is so rare a phenomenon, according to the author, that in this country, the annals record only three cases in which the prescribed Roman ritual of exorcism has been used. "When I was doing the research," Blatty says, "I came across a letter in which the Bishop of

Rheims cautioned an exorcist that most cases of possession should be referred to a doctor — and that was in 1519. Oh, yes, I got a lot of letters from people who thought they were possessed, but they were obviously types who, the year before, were writing to Gabby Hayes."

Blatty's new novel comes out at a time when the New York newspaper critics have been silenced by a strike. To him, this is no disaster. "When the reviewers are silent," Blatty says, "it can do me nothing but good."

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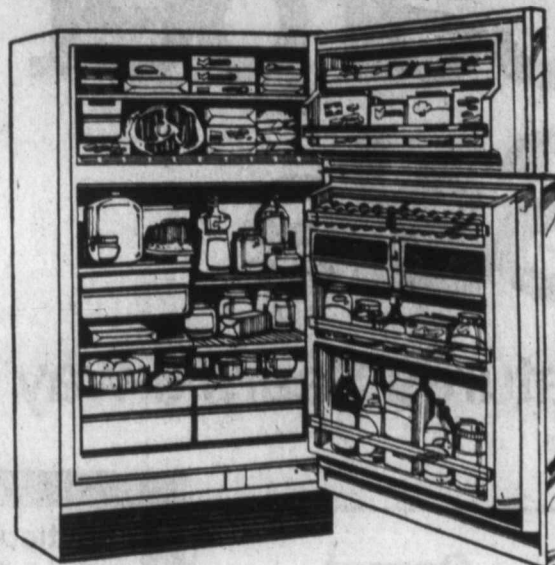
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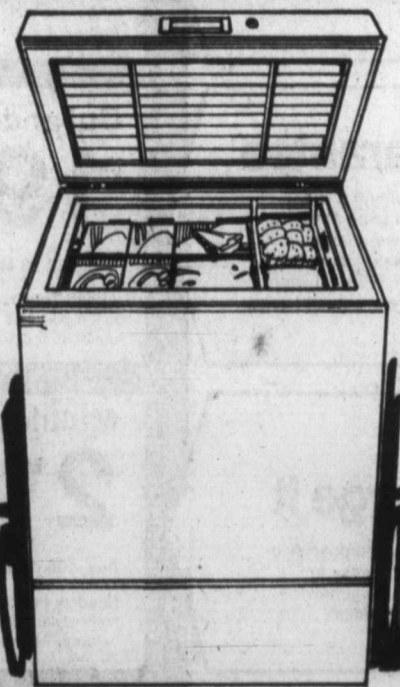
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Hanoi, China widen feuding to fish fleets

TOKYO (AP)—The war of words between China and Vietnam flared again this week, with the Chinese accusing the Vietnamese of mistreating Chinese fishermen and violating international law.

China filed a protest with Vietnamese officials in Hanoi, claiming the crews of six Chinese fishing boats that sought shelter in Vietnamese waters during a storm last month were mistreated by the Vietnamese, China's official Hsinhua news agency said.

In a note to the Vietnamese foreign ministry, China said it "solely refuted the Vietnamese allegation that the Chinese boats had 'violated' Vietnamese territorial sea," Hsinhua said.

The note said the boats encountered a typhoon Aug. 11 and were forced to take shelter in Vietnamese territorial waters. Hsinhua did not say where the boats took shelter.

Vietnam said hundreds of Chinese fishing boats violated Vietnamese territorial waters Aug. 10 and Aug. 23

and disturbed Vietnamese fishermen, Hanoi radio said. Hanoi said two Chinese armed vessels fired on a Vietnamese fishing boat Tuesday off the coast of northeastern Vietnam and killed one of three fishermen aboard.

Hanoi radio, in a broadcast monitored in Tokyo, said the Chinese ships intruded into Vietnamese territorial waters off Mong Cai on the Sino-Vietnamese border about 102 kilometres north-east of Hanoi.

China and Vietnam are embroiled in a border feud that started after ethnic Chinese residents of Vietnam began leaving the country in an attempt to return to China. Peking claimed the Vietnamese persecuted the ethnic Chinese and expelled more than 160,000 of them.

Vietnam denied it was persecuting the ethnic Chinese and said they were fleeing because of "false rumors" of reprisals against them by the Vietnamese because China backs Cambodia in the Cambodian-Vietnamese border war.

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Camosun top in nursing

Camosun College nursing students have received the highest scores in Canada on national tests conducted recently, the college has announced.

Student scores released by the board of examiners of the Council of Practical Nurses indicate that B.C. practical nursing graduates held a substantial lead over the rest of Canada. While the average mark for Canada was just under 500, B.C. students averaged 552, and Camosun students averaged just under

590, 17 points ahead of the second-ranked B.C. College. The 29 Camosun students who took the final national examination, including three males, all passed successfully.

In addition to the practical nursing course, Camosun offers courses in geriatric nursing, medical laboratory training, early childhood education and care, social service assistant, and special care aide. The college is now considering a registered nursing program.

COURT OF REVISION ON MUNICIPAL VOTERS' LIST OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA FOR THE CURRENT YEAR 1978

The Court of Revision for the Municipal Voters' List of the City of Victoria for the current year 1978 will sit in Committee Room No. 1, City Hall, Centennial Square, on Monday, the SECOND day of OCTOBER, 1978, at TEN A.M.

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Hail to chief

John MacLeod of MacLeod, the 29th chief of Scotland's Clan MacLeod, will visit Victoria on Tuesday.

He is the grandson of the late Chief Flora MacLeod.

A reception for the head of the clan will be held by Robin MacLeod, president of the Clan MacLeod of Vancouver Island, at 5 p.m. Tuesday,

followed by a dinner, at Holyrood House.

The chief will be accompanied by his wife, Melita, and Arthur MacLeod Rogers, the national president, from Toronto.

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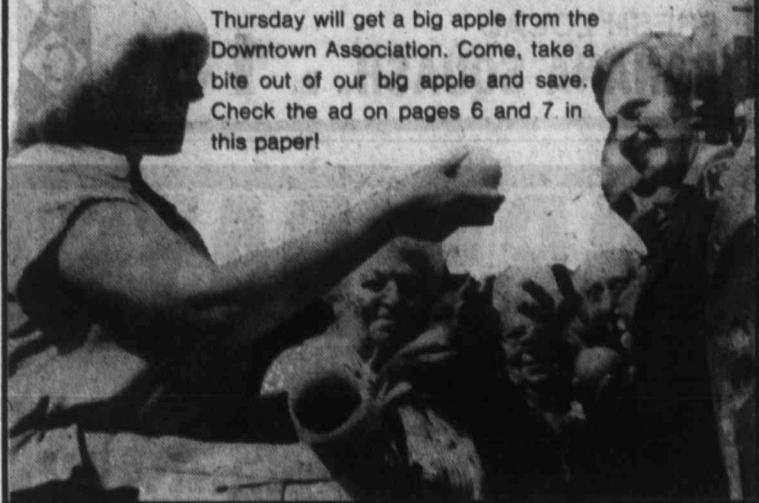
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By LEE GRANT
Colonist - Los Angeles Times Service

HOLLYWOOD — One review of *Go Tell the Spartans* said this: "At last we have a picture against which we can compare *Apocalypse Now*."

PERHAPS The cost of Francis Coppola's *Apocalypse Now* is at present a reported stratospheric \$30 million. It has been in production for about three years (including locations in the Philippines) and is not due out until April.

Go Tell the Spartans was made on a Spartan budget — \$1.5 million. It was filmed in 31 days last year on brushland near Los Angeles and is now appearing in theatres.

IT WAS seven years ago when Wendell Mayes first wrote a screenplay titled *Go Tell the Spartans* that was based on a book published in 1966 called *Incident at Muc Wa* by Daniel Ford. Mayes had some imposing credits behind him, including scripts for *Anatomy of a Murder*, *Hotel and Advice and Consent*.

But during the early '70s, when *Go Tell the Spartans* and John Millius' screenplay for *Apocalypse Now* were making the rounds, Vietnam was a sensitive subject, the war was not going well, and the projects were turned down in offices all over town.

AT ONE point, William Holden read *Go Tell the Spartans* but soon he had other commitments. About two years ago, a trio of producers named Michael Leone, Allan Bodooh and Mitchell Cannold thought now perhaps was the right time.

Burt Lancaster, meanwhile, knew of the project during its formative stages and signed on for the starring role. In doing so, he turned

his back on a more lucrative offer to do *The Wild Geese*. Lancaster passed on his usual salary of \$750,000 and 10 percent of the world gross to end up investing \$150,000 of his own money in *Go Tell the Spartans*.

AND THEN, to pull it all together, Ted Post came on to direct. A man full with the traditions of New York theatre, the distinguished experience of early television drama and an acting teacher, he had yet to make a memorable film. There was *Hang 'em High* and *Magnum Force* (each with Clint Eastwood), *Beneath the Planet of the Apes* and *The Harrod Experiment* and the upcoming *Good Guys Wear Black*.

"I HAVE never done anything I've liked in the movies," said Post. "They've just been jobs."

Then came *Go Tell the Spartans*, a movie in which he is proud, in which he believes, to which he is dedicated. It has been, in effect, a chance at last to work with fine material; a chance to overcome the frustrations of opportunities missed; a chance to display his talent.

"THIS IS THE best story I've ever been given," he said.

Post is 33 and lives in a charming house in a more modest section of Beverly Hills on a street in which he moved because it was close to the shul (Jewish temple) for his orthodox wife.

THE STUDY was cozy and warm, gorged with books, the walls reflecting his family and his work. Conversation was scattered with Yiddish even to calling wife Thelma *bubeleh*. There are two children — a son Robert, 30, is a law clerk to Supreme Court Justice William Brennan; a daughter Laurie, 27, is near a PhD in clinical psychology at Columbia University.

THERE WAS a rush to talk about *Go Tell the Spartans*, notes jotted down, vignettes at the ready.

"It is an action film that doesn't sacrifice ideas or feelings," said Post. "It addresses itself not to concepts but to men. It deals with individuals and survival, the ways they made it or the ways they didn't."

POST ASKED for 65 days "to do the film right" and a budget somewhat over the \$1.5 million. Instead, the shooting schedule was clipped more than half and the budget, after early expenses, shrank to really about \$1 million.

OUTSIDE of Lancaster, the cast would be predominantly young, predominantly unknown actors. Among the vivid portrayals were those of Joe Unger, with no previous experience at all; Marc Singer, who most notably played football's John Cappelletti in the TV movie *Something for Joey*; Craig Wasson, who was in another Vietnam War film, *The Boys in Company C*; and Johnathan Goldsmith, a veteran of roles as a heavy.

THEY AND the others surrounded Lancaster and in him found a man dedicated, professional, accessible. The performance, wrote one critic, "easily ranks among the very finest of his career." Said Post, "Burt was so helpful. He took direction like a baby. The young actors were awe-stricken with him but he was always down-to-earth and anxious to communicate, a real boychik."

THE STORY focuses on a small contingent of soldiers sent to an isolated post in South Vietnam in 1964, a time when the United States was supplying only a few thousand "military advisers" there.

A mission is assigned to take a detachment of Vietnamese — mercenaries and

farmers among them — and occupy, for unclear strategic reasons, an abandoned village in the countryside. Then there is an ambush.

THERE IS no napalm or flame throwers, the violence is minimal. The film's lessons are low-key, subtle, eerie with the knowledge that years of involvement and death were to follow.

Post and his art director, Jack Senter, were able to convert the hillside brush on location northwest of Los Angeles into a replica of Vietnam complete with appropriate huts and rice paddies. Vietnamese refugees were

hired as extras to play soldiers, peasants and the Vietnamese. Their technical advice kept details accurate and added to the realistic look of Harry Stradling Jr.'s cinematography.

CURRENTLY hovering over the film is the public's apparent reluctance to come in droves and see movies that bring back the unpleasant memories of Vietnam.

"We're wrestling with something difficult," said Post. "We were on God's side in the Second World War. Hitler was a monster and we could harness our purpose together with clarity."

(Post served in Italy and was wounded after hitting a land mine. His left hip has been replaced and he walks with a limp.)

"IN VIETNAM, what was our philosophy? We didn't know. Was it the domino theory? Finally it reduced itself to a body count. We thought we were the good guys going over there, the Good Samaritans. Well, the Good Samaritans ended up being the victims."

"I tried in this picture to confront that ambivalent set of values, these men trying to figure out what they were doing there."

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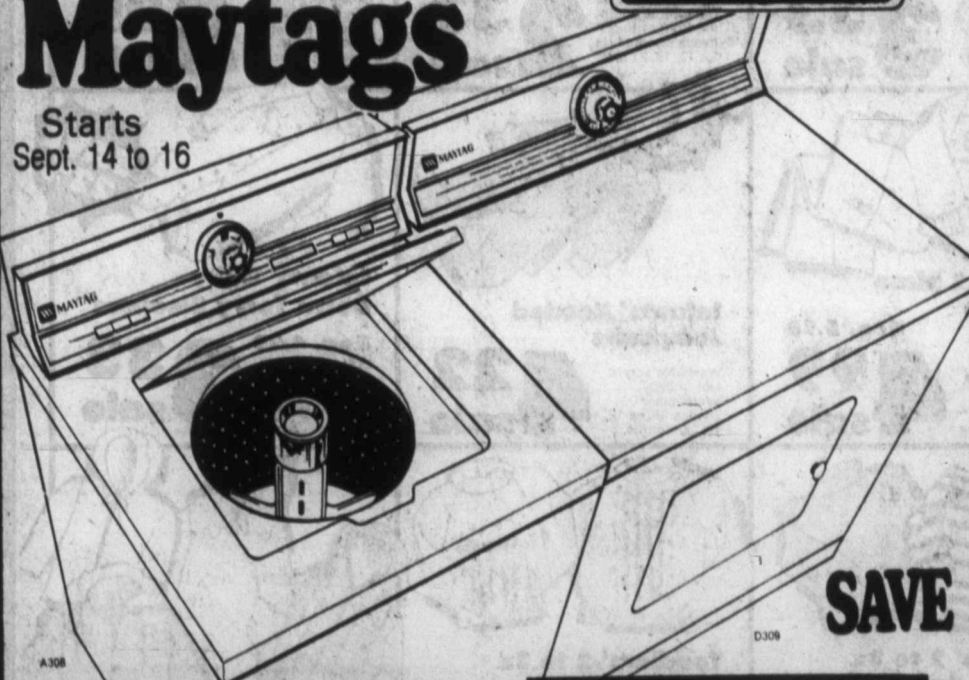
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LUCCA, Italy (Reuter) — Orazio Nannini, 90, has called a rehearsal of his funeral next Sunday and organized it like a political rally. He has banned priests and nuns and invited only "Socialist and Communist anti-fascists," telling them to bring their party banners. Nannini, a veteran Tuscan leftist, said he wanted to ensure everything goes smoothly for his real funeral.

Naval ships sail straits

ISTANBUL (AP)—For the first time in more than half a century, Greek warships steamed through the Turkish straits Tuesday.

Two naval destroyers headed for the Soviet port of Odessa on the Black Sea in what the Turkish press called a Greek show of military force.

Officials here said the passage through the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus, linking the Aegean and Black seas, was the first such venture by the Greek navy since 1922. The two nations have long been hostile, and in the last four years were on the brink of armed clashes at least twice.

The Greek destroyers will return through the strategic water channels Sept. 19 after a courtesy call at Odessa, where the Soviet Union maintains a major naval construction yard.

Greek and Turkish relations deteriorated sharply after the 1974 Turkish invasion of Cyprus, where the Turkish minority had been dominated by the Greek population. The island has been a sore point between the two nations for three decades.

The straits are open to international passage in times of peace after formal notification to the Turkish government. But the passage has

Old Greek athlete sets vault record

BERKELEY, Calif.

(AP)—Archaeologists say ancient Greek athletes who scratched their names on the damp stone walls of a passageway have helped establish that it was built 2,300 years ago, the oldest known arched tunnel in the West.

The 35-metre-long tunnel, excavated this summer in Nemea, Greece, by a team from the University of California, is believed to have been built about 320 B.C.

Youths and their trainers participating in ancient Panhellenic games at a stadium are thought to have used the tunnel as a sort of locker

room, carving graffiti in the walls of wedged stone while waiting their turns, archaeologist Stephen Miller said this week.

Then, the athletes likely charged dramatically through the tunnel onto the field of the stadium, much like modern football players, Miller said.

"The tunnel had to have been placed where it was for effect," not practically, said Miller, who led the team that has worked for five summers at Nemea, one of four sites of ancient Panhellenic festivals.

One key to dating the tunnel was a name found among the graffiti on the walls—Telestas, a young boxer who records indicate was victorious at Olympia around 340 B.C.

"If we assume he was also at Nemea as an athlete, then the tunnel must have been built by 320 B.C.," said Miller. Pottery shards from trenches in the tunnel's foundation also date to 320 B.C.

"The Romans got credit for developing the vault in the Western world, but it's clear now that it was already in use in Greece before the Romans began using it," Miller said.

Korchnoi meditates then gains an edge

BAGUIO CITY, Philippines

(AP)—Soviet defector Viktor Korchnoi went into deep meditation Tuesday before facing defending champion Anatoly Karpov in the 21st game of the world chess championship. The game was adjourned after 42 moves and experts disagreed over who had the edge.

After spending his morning hours in a meditation centre of a yoga society, Korchnoi engaged Karpov with one of his favorite white openings, pawn to queen four.

Karpov leads 4-1 in the \$550,000 tournament. The first player to win six games gets \$350,000, the loser \$200,000.

000. Drawn games do not count.

Korchnoi sealed his 43rd move and the game was suspended until today.

"I'm not so sure yet, but I think white is better," commented British grandmaster Raymond Keene, chief representative and second for the challenger, shortly after the adjournment.

Argentine grandmaster Oscar Panno said, "Viktor has a good chance to win the game." But Lodewijk Prinz, international master and journalist from the Netherlands, was more cautious.

"They are not so sure of themselves," Prinz said.

"White has all the chances, but it all remains to be analysed."

British grandmaster and author Harry Golombek said, "Korchnoi played very well... and I think he'll probably win the game." But Yugoslavian national master and journalist Miroslav Radjic said, "It's easier for black to draw than for white to win."

After initial moves, Korchnoi initiated an attack that resulted in a fierce exchange of pieces. Korchnoi provoked Karpov into swapping his two bishops for knights and maintained a one-pawn advantage.

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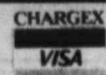
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Saanich policeman Bob Love caught the big coho Saturday and weighed it at Becher Bay, where it was identified as a coho.

He is a Colonist subscriber and is tied for the coho lead with subscriber Bud Strom of Sooke, who got his big coho off Sooke's Possession Point.

Prize for the heaviest coho by a subscriber is a Peetz rod, reel and line from Peetz Tackle and Ski Shop.

Fifteen-year-old Roger Gage of Campbell River scored big last week when he caught a 44-pound tye on plug in the Tye Pool and weighed it in at Rustic Motel.

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Rustic Motel

Roger Gage, Campbell River; 44.0, Tye Pool, plug.

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J.B. Crozier-Smith; 30.4, 34.0, Kelp Bay, Strip Teaser.

Gary Nunn; 27.3, Sarita Bay, Strip Teaser.

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J.B. Crozier-Smith; 22.8, 10.8, 5.8, 8.8, Kelp Bay, Strip Teaser.

Gary Nunn; 17.8, Sarita Bay, Strip Teaser.

D. Cozens, Cobble Hill; 29.0, Bamfield, Strip Teaser.

W. McLeod; 9.0, 7.0, Bamfield, Strip Teaser.

Bruce Nunn; 17.8, Sarita Bay, plus W.F. Dyke; 22.8, 10.8, Bamfield, Strip Teaser.

Mary McPhee, Lake Cowichan; 23.0, 7.8, Cree Island, Spoon.

Lillian Crozier-Smith; 5.0, Kelp Bay, Strip Teaser.

Anchor Marina

Lorne Vandervoort, Duncan; 11.2, Cowichan Bay, Strip Teaser.

Robin Benson; 16.8, from Government Wharf, plug.

Brenwood Boat Rentals

John Cook; 12.4, 7.8, 8.8, McKenzie Bay, Plug.

A. Stewart; 7.4, 6.0, 5.8, Henderson Point, Strip Teaser.

Jean Matheson; 21.8, Saanich Inlet, plug.

J. Fishbourne, Calgary; 6.0, 5.8, McKenzie Bay, purple hootchie.

R.R. Braidwood; 6.4, McKenzie Bay, plug.

Donald Walker, Shelton, Wash.; 15.4, Tanner Rock, Strip Teaser.

Bill Oliver; 6.8, McKenzie Bay, Tonic Plug.

Dick Smulski; 8.8, 5.8, McKenzie Bay, Strip Teaser.

Godfrey Westmorland; 14.14, 8.0, Cle's Bay, Krippled K.

Leo Takasaki; 5.4, Senanus Island, Strip Teaser.

Jim Pengelly; 22.0, Brenwood Bay, minnow.

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Bob Warren; 46.0, Beechey Head, Rhys Davis Super Herring Teaser.

Kevin Jamieson; 12.8, 12.4, Beechey Head, Buzz Bomb.

Sid Upson; 5.0, 6.0, Church Rock, minnow.

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McGillivray; 26.8, Bedford Island, anchovy.

Bill Warren; 5.0, pink, 5.0, sockeye, Beechey Head, anchovy.

Sherry Robinson, Sidney; 8.0, Beechey Head, Strip Teaser.

David H. Nelson; 5.5, Bedford Island, Buzz Bomb.

G.A. Thompson; 6.8, sockeye, Fraser Island, anchovy.

Bill Purdy; 6.0, Church Rock, Apex lure.

A. Danlyuck; 12.0, Bedford Island, Pirken lure.

Peter E. Hill; 5.0, Church Rock, Strip Teaser.

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Carroll Laverdure, Edmonton, Alberta; 10.0, Beechey Head, Strip Teaser.

K.C. Watson; 8.0, Trap Shack, Strip Teaser.

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Ruby Ralph; 5.0, Church Rock, minnow.

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McClelland health hints keeps smokers' air clean

By HUBERT BEYER
Colonist reporter

Usually, you can't see for smoke during a Victoria Chamber of Commerce luncheon in the Empress ballroom, but very few people lit up Wednesday while Health Minister Robert McClelland talked about the dangers of smoking.

And quite a number of people in the middle-aged audience, mostly male, pulled in their midriffs when the minister lambasted the evils of overeating.

McClelland used a sure-fire method of impressing his business-oriented listeners with the importance of adopting a healthier lifestyle. He cited detailed figures related to the cost of delivering health care to British Columbians.

"You know, I spend more of your money than anyone else in government," he said.

"I'm charged with spending over a billion dollars," he said, adding that this amounted to about \$480 for every man, woman and child.

While British Columbians were receiving excellent service for their health care dollar, there was a danger that the system could collapse "if we keep loading it up with costly conditions which are largely preventable," he said.

And then the minister zeroed in on what he called preventable demands on the health care system.

The "four big killers"—heart attacks, strokes, lung cancer and motor vehicle accidents—could be rendered much less dangerous if peo-

ple adopted a different, healthier lifestyle, he said.

Smoking, over-eating, bad nutrition, lack of exercise and careless driving, McClelland said, were the major culprits.

B.C., he said, had the worst motor vehicle accident record in Canada.

"We're killing 700 people a year and injuring some 25,000 more," he said.

"Automobile accidents are filling the equivalent of a 400-bed hospital each year."

Cardiovascular fitness, he said, declined steadily from the age of eight.

"But perhaps the most insidious habit man has imposed upon himself, in terms of health hazards, is smoking. It burns down houses, it burns down forests," he said.

"Death from heart disease, lung cancer and emphysema are the unhappy benefits of smoking," the minister added.

As for overweight, McClelland said that "fat is fatal—this is in."

On the good-news side of

things, the minister told the audience just what British Columbians were getting for their billion-dollar health care system.

The provincial ambulance service, including the air ambulance, he said, was one of the best in North America. Paramedics, stationed in Victoria, Vancouver, Burnaby and North Vancouver, he said, were every bit as good as those seen on TV.

More than 40,000 people had availed themselves last year of the venereal disease hot-line which assured anonymity.

The government had instituted a system of mobile dental care for the province's remote areas, the minister said.

During the next seven years, he said, \$700 million worth of hospital construction would take place.

McClelland also took the opportunity once again to defend the government's program for compulsory treatment of heroin addicts.

And this is what he had to say to critics who claimed that the addicts' civil liberties were being infringed upon by the treatment program.

"What kind of civil liberties can be enjoyed in a world where one is forced to raise, through obvious means, as much as \$1,000 every week to support a habit, all the while worrying about being hunted by the police?"

"What kind of civil liberties, when your life is pinned to the end of a dirty needle?"

The program, the minister said he hoped, would give addicts a chance at the same civil liberties enjoyed by most of society.

Foil ride popular for some

SEATTLE (CP)—Hydrofoils were popular on the Seattle-Bremerton run this summer, but few people rode the craft between Port Angeles and Victoria.

Seven weeks of demonstration runs to Victoria and the Puget Sound area ended last week. The test cost \$425,000 and 61,000 passengers paid \$235,000 in fares, the Washington transportation department says, leaving the ferry system and the Boeing Co. with a \$190,000 deficit.

A ferry spokesman said the real test was whether the hydrofoil could operate within the boundary set for other ferries, 25-per-cent government subsidized.

The Boeing Co. and the ferry system will analyse data being collected by a research firm later this fall before making a decision on the service's future.

Bleed along with TV Red Cross invitation

Giving blood no longer necessarily means missing an important playoff game, all those armchair athletes will be happy to hear.

A donation of a television by the Kinsmen Club of Victoria to Red Cross House means that "sports fans can now bleed along with their favorite players," clinic coordinator Gerry Savage said.

At some times of the year, Savage said, he could plot the progress of playoff games by observing the attendance at blood donor clinics. When the games were on, attendance dropped off dramatically.

The new television set might help to increase attendance at clinics, which are chronically short of the number of donors required to keep B.C.'s hospitals supplied, Savage said.

And Victoria residents who

lived through the shock of this year's property tax bill have been invited by Mayor Michael Young to "bleed a little" at City Hall.

There will be a blood donor clinic there from 10 a.m. to 4

p.m. Friday, and the mayor said it would be nice if Victorians kept their minds off taxes for a little while and gave blood instead.

He said everybody was welcome to donate blood.

Cabaret wins

VANCOUVER (CP)—City council Wednesday restored the business licence of the Penthouse Cabaret but will

review the decision in January.

The proposal came from Mayor Jack Volrich after lawyer Angelo Branca, a former B.C. Supreme Court justice, pointed out to council that the club's owners, the Phillpott family, charged with living off the avails of prostitution, had been vindicated by the courts.

Officers mark battle for sky

The Air Force Officers Association of Vancouver Island will hold a commemorative Battle of Britain dinner at the Faculty Club, University of Victoria, tonight. Guest speaker will be the honorary president, Lieutenant-Governor Henry Bell-Irving.

He said much of the evidence at the trial was based on a dossier prepared by police Insp. Vic Lake—"a bundle of half-truths and a bundle of untruths."

Uvic calendar

Events during the coming week at the University of Victoria:

Monday—3:30 p.m., political science seminar with Dr. Leonard Cohen from Simon Fraser University speaking on "Conflict-Resolution and Political Development" in Socialist Yugoslavia: 1948-1976, Cornett 373.

Thursday, Sept. 21—8 p.m., free classical lecture with Professor John Olson of the classics department, Uvic, will speak on "An Underwater Survey of the Roman Harbor of Caesarea Maritima (Israel)," sponsored by the Classical Association of Vancouver Island, Cornett 112.

Friday, Sept. 22—3 p.m., economics lecture with Professor James Tobin of Yale University speaking on "The Impasse in Macroeconomic Policy and a Possible Way Out," Cornett 343.

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Lang undercuts PM on noose referendum call

OTTAWA (CP) — Justice Minister Otto Lang did not obtain the consent of Prime Minister Trudeau on the cabinet before publicly suggesting there be a national referendum on capital punishment.

Lang told reporters Wednesday the issue had still to be discussed in cabinet. He refused to speculate on what cabinet discord might result from his surprise suggestion, which first surfaced in the news media earlier in the day.

Normally, a minister does not publicly make suggestions on such controversial questions as capital punishment without prior discussion in cabinet or with the prime minister.

Trudeau has opposed a referendum in the past and has not changed his mind, one of the prime minister's chief aides said.

"Lang is entitled to that opinion but he is not speaking for the cabinet," the aide said.

As a cabinet meeting ended early Wednesday afternoon, ministers refused comment on their colleague's proposal.

Lang tried to play down opposition by Trudeau to the idea of a referendum.

The prime minister has reacted negatively to the suggestion before because "I think he has the view that we don't ordinarily use referendums," Lang said.

Trudeau said at a news conference last April that Parliament had abolished the death penalty in 1976 "and as far as I'm concerned, the issue is settled."

The cabinet had voted unanimously in 1976 to abolish the death penalty. Regular MPs from all parties were allowed to vote according to their consciences rather than follow partisan lines.

SEPT. 22 Carriers set walkout date

ISLAND COUPLE CLAIMS MILLION

A Nanose couple Wednesday became the first major Canadian lottery winner from Vancouver Island.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bagley walked into the Western Lottery office in Winnipeg Wednesday and claimed their \$1 million prize from the Provincial draw of July 30.

This marks the first time anyone from Vancouver Island has won \$1 million since lotteries were introduced in Canada.

Lottery officials said that Bagleys waited this long to claim the prize "for reasons of their own."

Bagley is 60 years old and a retired chemical engineer.

His wife Pauline, 56, purchased the prize-winning ticket.

Ford indicted for homicide in Pinto crash

GOSHEN, Ind. (UPI) — A grand jury Wednesday indicted Ford Motor Co. for reckless homicide and criminal recklessness, charging poor design was partly to blame for a fiery auto crash that killed three occupants of a Ford Pinto.

Ford officials immediately denied the charges.

"We believe this unprecedented action was unwarranted and that the company has not violated any of the laws of Indiana," said Henry Noite, Ford vice president and general counsel, in a brief statement from Ford's Detroit headquarters.

"After we have studied the indictment, we will take appropriate action."

Ford was charged with three counts of reckless homicide, a felony, and one count of criminal recklessness, a misdemeanor. Each count carries a maximum \$10,000 fine upon conviction.

The Elkhart County grand jury did not indict individual Ford officers.

The company was given 10 days to respond to the charges before an arraignment date is set.

Ford has come under criticism for alleged fuel-system design problems in the Pinto. Federal safety experts have charged the fuel-tank and filler-pipe design on the Pinto makes the auto more susceptible to explosions in rear end collisions.

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration figures show at least 59 persons have been killed in fiery crashes involving Pintos.

The indictment was the result of a grand jury investigation into an Aug. 10 crash on U.S. 33 near Elkhart. A Pinto carrying three young women had pulled to the side of the road and was struck in the rear by a van.

The Pinto burst into flames and killed Judy Ulrich, 18, Osceola, her sister, Lynn, 16, and their cousin, Donna M. Ulrich, Roanoke, Ill.

The grand jury refused to bring charges against the driver of the van.

Instead, the panel levelled its sights at Ford, saying the automaker's failure to make fuel-system improvements and repairs was a contributing factor in the deaths.



Carriers' union chief McGarry (right) announces strike date

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It's white in Alberta

PINCHER CREEK, Alta. (CP) — The season's first wintry storm brought up to 10 centimetres of wet snow Wednesday to some locations west of this community, 80 kilometres west of Lethbridge.

Recreation and Conservation Minister Sam Bawlf refused Wednesday to comment on whether he has ever used drugs, saying only that "I was young once."

Bawlf made the statement during a news conference after his name was mentioned several times during a drug trafficking trial in Victoria County Court this week.

Attorney-General Garde Bawlf said that the sugges-

A 19-year-old Duncan youth tried in vain to save his brother Wednesday following a freak accident at a water well drilling site.

Paul Andrew Slade watched in horror as a drilling rig toppled onto Brian Kenneth Slade, 21, as the two prepared to drill a well on a private property seven miles west of Shawnigan Lake Road on the Renfrew Road.

The mishap occurred at 3:45 p.m. An RCMP spokesman at Shawnigan Lake said Slade, also of Duncan, was dead by the time police arrived at the scene.

The accident occurred at a time when Brian was preparing to go on holidays. His father, Kenneth Slade Sr., told the *Colonist* that Brian and Sandra, his wife of two years, were to have left Friday on a trip to Disney-

land.

"I've been in the business 30 years and there's never been a serious accident like this before," said the father, whose firm—

Drillwell Enterprises—employed his two sons. "It was a freak accident."

He said he understood Brian wasn't happy with the original attempt to set the rig up on a slight slope and had used the hydraulic levelling jack to let it down again.

"He was apparently re-arranging the blocks under one leg when the whole thing slipped back on him," Slade Sr. said.

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SHAMROCKS POUNDED OUT OF CHAMPIONSHIP

Peterborough Red Oaks have returned the Mann Cup to the East for the first time since 1973. A crowd of 5,400, the largest in Peterborough's lacrosse history, was on hand to cheer the Red Oaks to a 14-6 pounding of Victoria Shamrocks in the seventh game of the championship. (Story, picture, Page 20.)

Solo Quebec appeals more to outsiders

OTTAWA (CP) — A recent Gallup public opinion poll shows stronger support for Quebec independence outside the province than inside.

The poll, released Wednesday, said support for separation in the English-speaking provinces has varied between 10 and 14 per cent in the last 18 months.

It showed that 22 per cent of those polled on the Prairies favored Quebec separation,

while 18 per cent of the British Columbians and only eight per cent in Ontario supported Quebec independence.

There were no figures on Maritime support for or against separation.

But only 12 per cent of Quebecers polled were sympathetic to independence for their province, a significant drop in support since a February, 1977, poll which showed 22 per cent in favor.

B.C. 'not serious' so Skagit dam rise proceeding

SEATTLE (AP) — Seattle City Light will proceed with plans to raise the height of Ross Dam, superintendent Gordon Vickery said Wednesday, because B.C. was not serious about negotiations concerning the dam.

The City Light plan to add 36.6 metres to the top of the structure has been opposed by Canadians because it would flood 5,000 acres of B.C.'s Skagit Valley, about 145 kilometres east of Vancouver.

Provincial officials and city representatives have met off and on for several years in an effort to negotiate a settlement.

"I don't think the Canadians have any serious interest in negotiating," Vickery said. "I have not seen any indication in the meetings I have attended or in correspondence that there is a serious effort up there to negotiate."

Carter presses talks

CAMP DAVID, Md. (AP) — President Carter, cancelling an appearance at a White House party, intensified his efforts Wednesday to complete a formula for more Middle East negotiations after the Camp David summit talks, which is drawing to a close.

The formula, tentatively entitled *Framework of Negotiations*, deals with the fu-

ture of Palestinian Arabs now under Israeli military control and other fundamental issues in the Arab-Israeli dispute.

The sources, asking not to be identified, said the language being drafted is designed to be broad enough to gain approval of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin as well as to

draw Jordan eventually into the U.S.-led peace process.

"We are obviously approaching the final stages," said Jody Powell, the summit spokesman, in an over-all assessment of the eight-day old conference among the leaders of the United States, Egypt and Israel. "I can't imagine any more intensive period of discussions."

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Gardom said Tuesday that early in 1976, his ministry had conducted an investigation of Bawlf for possible involvement in the drug trade and found the allegations to be based on rumor and innuendo, and there was no evidence to support them.

"I was not in any way associated with anybody involved in drug dealings," said the minister.

Bawlf said that the sugges-

tions during the trial of James William Buckner that he was involved in the drug trade were made as a red herring to turn the trial into a circus and distract from the charges.

Buckner was convicted Wednesday of conspiracy to traffic in cannabis resin and possession of the drug for the purpose of trafficking. (See trial story, Page 32.)

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Bus union sees shuttle service

By DON COLLINS
Colonist reporter

Are the days of the Victoria-to-Vancouver through-bus service numbered?

Municipal Affairs Minister Hugh Curtis says there are no such plans under present consideration.

But sources with direct connections to the transportation industry say they expect a shuttle service to replace the bus-ferry crossing system by Dec. 31.

And the Amalgamated Transit Union sees the shuttle service as a real possibility.

The question grows out of the recent merger of Vancouver Island Coach Lines and Pacific Stage Lines by the province, and the decision to sell off the four line services which had been operated in competition.

Asked Tuesday if he was

denying outright that there would be a shuttle service, Curtis said: "I don't know what government might decide to do in the future. But it's not in my plans, and it did not come up in any of our discussions."

This came as a surprise to Al Ashton, Vancouver president of the ATU.

"That (shuttle service) is clearly in the task force recommendations to Mr. Curtis."

Ashton said the task force, struck by Curtis, recommended investigating the introduction of a shuttle service with an accompanying baggage loading system.

Curtis did repeat during an interview a point that had been made at the time of the merger announcement—that the new company (Pacific Coach Lines) would work closely with B.C. Ferries to establish what could be done in the way of cost-cutting.

Ashton feels the shuttle service is probably in the cards for the future, although he thinks it would have to be some time after Dec. 31. He

doesn't think a system could be set up by then.

"Really, all they are going to do with a system like that is drive people back to their cars," he said. "It will simply have more people trying to board the ferries by car."

"If they do this they are going to decrease the attractiveness of the service."

He said this would be because of the inconvenience of the long walk, particularly for older people. Passengers have long been accustomed to being driven onto the ferry by bus ahead of the cars, and leaving at the other end—again ahead of the cars.

Ashton conceded that a shuttle service would save considerable money, not only in the elimination of vehicle boarding fees but in fewer hours of work for drivers.

The union has already expressed concern about the 147 job displacements the merger is eventually going to spell out. Curtis has said all but a relative few of those affected will be placed in other B.C. Hydro positions. But the

union, isn't taking anything for granted.

"We don't know what to expect until the time comes," Ashton said.

Both Curtis and Ashton voiced puzzlement over another report that a "Nanaimo company" would be taking over the newly-merged bus service.

"That's a wildly speculative report," Curtis said. "I don't know of a bus company in Nanaimo. There may be one, but I don't know of it."

He said the four line operations would be disposed of in the proper way after proposals had been received from any groups that are interested—public groups, the private sector, or groups of employees.

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Landbank end surprise to B.C.

Urban Affairs Minister Andre Ouellet's statement Tuesday that he will talk with provincial housing ministers about selling off federal-provincial landbanks put together in recent years as a way of keeping house prices down, is news to B.C.

B.C. Municipal Affairs and Housing Minister Hugh Curtis said Tuesday night that such a unilateral move would be unacceptable to B.C.

Several areas on Vancouver Island would be involved, among them the Highlands on the Saanich border, Roy Road (defeated at public hearing by Saanich council), Ladysmith and Campbell River.

The Highlands block covers about 200 acres, although another large section is held by the provincial government alone.

Curtis said he had discussed other matters with Ouellet as recently as Monday by phone and "this was not

raised." He added: "I'm confused by Ouellet's ideas, that come very frequently" and which, he said, "show Ottawa's confusion."

Ouellet's comments followed a report of a study group on land prices and servicing, released earlier in the day, that concluded that government landbanks had not helped moderate house prices during the boom of the mid-1970s.

Ouellet told a meeting of the Association of Ontario Housing Authorities that the termination of a federal program of loans to provinces and municipalities announced last week was in accord with the findings of the study group.

The Greenspan report, completed at a cost of about \$25,000—up from the \$250,000 original estimate—concluded that "during the boom, large-scale government assemblies had no moderating effect on house prices."

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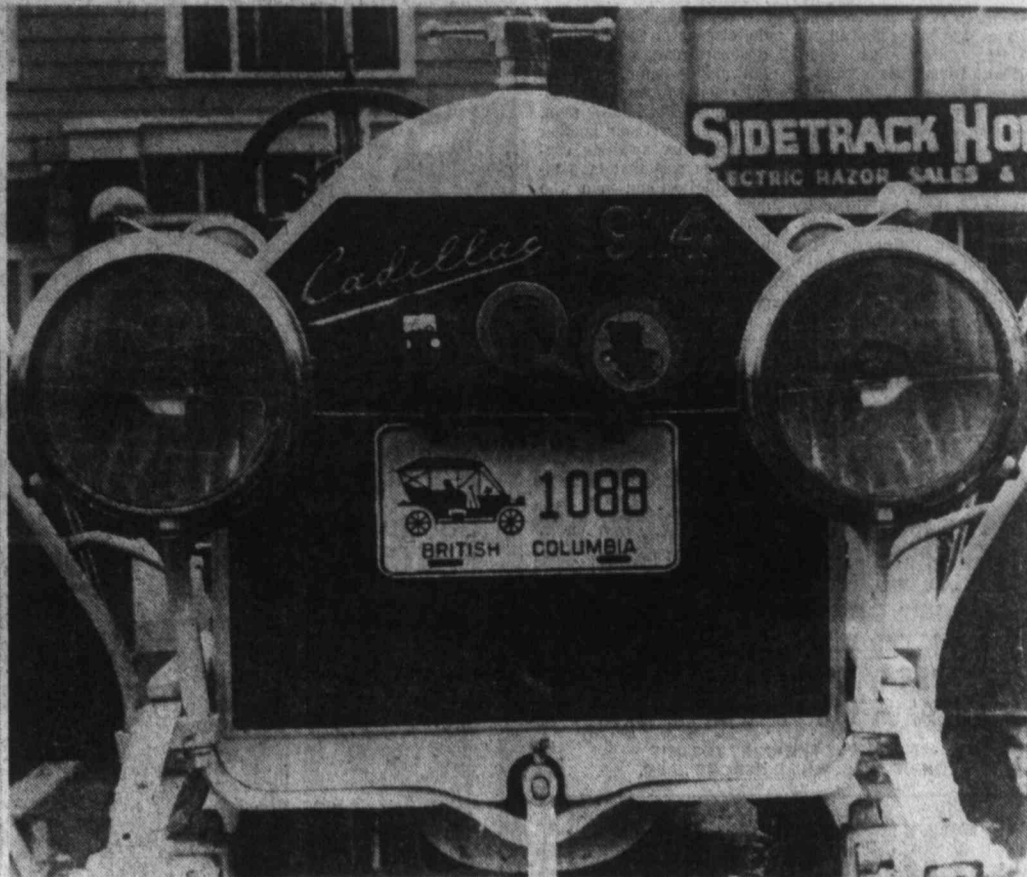
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Malahat was challenged

It was a weekend of vintage kind as the fourth annual Malahat Challenge classic took place on Vancouver Island. Donna Reimer, *Colonist's* Nanaimo correspondent and photographer, took photographs of these two exceptional examples from exhibition. Above was oldest car in Malahat Challenge, a 1903 Oldsmobile, with George and Ram McGladrey of Nanaimo leading the race starters.

Above right is front of 1914 Cadillac which was in fabulous condition, as were the other participating classic automobiles taking part. Nanaimo's own Captain Cook and Mayor Frank Ney were on hand in Nanaimo to provide the sendoff for the racers as they headed for Victoria — a trip which proved somewhat wet and uncomfortable but which was taken in stride by all participants.

French Creek project clears another hurdle

By DONNA REIMER
Colonist Correspondent

NANAIMO — An attempt to stop work on a land-use contract for a \$30 million retirement village at French Creek failed Tuesday night at the Nanaimo Regional Board meeting.

However, the board was warned by its staff it may be impossible to complete work on the land-use contract before the provincially-set deadline for approval of land-use contracts, which are being phased out.

gion could use a development permit for the project.

Smith, who vacated the chair to make the motion that the land-use contract work be halted, said that there was overwhelming opposition to the project in French Creek.

"I feel you believe I have orchestrated that opposition. That is not so; it is no doing of mine," he pointed out.

"You are making a tragic mistake if you imagine something else, and you run the grave risk of alienating a large group of people who have been supporters of the regional board."

He said the fact that the proposed project was on an estuary made it unsuitable.

Suitable land was available

elsewhere for such a project, he said, and estuaries should not be exploited.

He also based his objections on concerns about flooding on the land, which he said is below the flood plain level.

He cited floods on the property in 1961 and 1967, and showed pictures of the 1967 flood, which he said was caused by the combination of a high tide and low barometric pressure, but no storm.

He said that the project is too large, and would create a village the size of Qualicum Beach on 35 acres in the midst of French Creek.

That density would also put a strain on servicing in the area, including water, Smith added.

Smith had given notice of motion of his intentions in August, and Tuesday night several people attended the board meeting to make a presentation on the topic.

T.C. Lewis, president of the French Creek Boat Owners' Association, said that his group was opposed to the project because of the possibility of flooding.

He cited flooding in 1961 and showed pictures to the board.

Also speaking in opposition were representatives of the French Creek Residents' and Property Owners' Association and residents of the Columbia Beach subdivision.

A letter of opposition was also received from the Parksville-Qualicum Advisory Planning Commission.

Supporting the idea of the project were S.D. Elves, a resident of Parksville; the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America's Local 527, and Mladen Zorkin of Nanaimo, who spoke to the board about the project.

Zorkin, who developed the land on which the project would be located, but is not directly involved in the proposed development, spoke on behalf of the Chateau Columbia developers.

He said that the idea of apartments or a hotel on the property has had approval in principle by various government agencies and the region since 1969, and that the board could not now make the decision not to allow the use.

Zorkin discounted the idea of flooding, saying that it should properly be called an inundation by the sea, and that requirements by the province will safeguard the property.

The vote on Smith's resolution was taken about 40 minutes of debate and his motion defeated 11-4.

But of the 11 who voted against, five specifically noted they were reserving judgment on the project, but that they believed it should go to public hearing.

North Cowichan parents

Bus pressure mounts

Colonist correspondent

DUNCAN — The scene was familiar, only the location was different.

This time it was North Cowichan council's turn to listen to angry parents, concerned because their children were forced to walk on "unsafe highways."

Recently, parents in the Cobble Hill-Mill Bay area protesting unsafe highways to School District 65, Cowichan Valley Regional District and the ministry of education, were successful in having "courtesy bus rides" reinstated for their children.

Somenos Community Association's delegation of parents complained there were no walkways on Cowichan Valley Highway or Somenos Road, and logging and chipper trucks were travelling the highway at 70-80 mph.

The parents complained that trucks when passing their children at high speeds had a "powerful sucking effect, which is dangerous and unacceptable to us."

Ald. Ron McKinnon said the problem was with the larger vehicles.

"There is room to provide paths but Doman's and Hearsey Transport trucks are not adhering to the 30 mph speed limit."

McKinnon was sympathetic to the parents' problem. He said "there is a definite concern here and something should be done. These trucks don't make any effort to slow down."

He said he had witnessed "two Hearsey trucks both loaded, and when one passed the other on the stretch of highway complained of, it must have been doing well over 70."

He suggested that council write to the truck owners and drivers and the RCMP asking for action, and that the ministry of highways be asked to remove the passing lane and reduce the speed limit on this stretch of the Cowichan Valley Highway.

Somenos Community Association representative Hilda Degraaf said it was not only the truck drivers, but that private vehicle drivers were also travelling at 70-80 mph on this stretch of highway.

She said: "The highways ministry tell us that there would be more accidents without the passing lane, but this is ridiculous."

"We don't care if they get a ticket, as long as they slow down."

Council decided to refer the matter to the ministry of highways, for paved shoulder.

der, and also to write to the transport companies and the RCMP.

Meanwhile since the meeting, Jean MacLeod, municipal clerk, said the ministry of highways has indicated that "it will provide a wide paved shoulder on Cowichan Valley Highway, between Hall and Somenos roads."

Courtenay chamber finally has its head

COURTENAY — The new president of Courtenay-Comox Chamber of Commerce, David Winfield, was introduced to members of the media and civic officials at a recent luncheon.

Winfield, general manager of the Mexicana Inn, is a past president of Gold River Chamber of Commerce.

He comes to the Courtenay-Comox Chamber to assume leadership of the group, without a president for several years.

Only day-to-day correspondence and operation of the Information Bureau has been carried on by the secretary and treasurer while the group was without a president.

Winfield said he saw the chamber acting a voice to government, through which all local bodies could have input. He explained that quality of membership was just as necessary as its quantity.

A close liaison will be developed between the chamber and Arthur Burgess, the new economic development commissioner for Comox-Strathcona Regional District.

He did not name the new directors who will be installed at a dinner Sept. 20.

However, Winfield did say they would be people who would be volunteers and as such he saw more input from them than people persuaded to serve.

He saw several committees being formed, including a delegate on the local Save the E&N committee, roads and transportation and other fields.

At the press briefing, secretary Ruth McKellar said the chamber hopes to have the Information Bureau open on holiday weekends and possibly permit Saturdays through the winter.

Voice raised for native people

By DEREK RHIND
Colonist Correspondent

DUNCAN — "Our native people are fast approaching the time when they do not take kindly to the white man dumping his garbage on Indian land," said North Cowichan Ald. Graham Bruce.

Bruce made the comment when suggesting to council it look for an alternative incinerator site to that proposed by the Cowichan Valley Regional District, which would be on Indian land.

He said the CVRD has indicated it has approval from the provincial government but has "not yet received approval from the Indians."

Bruce said: "The native people are trying to tell us something, I think we should be very cautious about using native lands in the future."

Bruce favored the use of North Cowichan's industrial park for a dual purpose. He said "we could possibly locate both the southern and northern incinerators on our industrial park site at Chemalvus."

He said the incinerators might also provide a source of power and heat for the industries located at the site.

He said he was not suggesting that CVRD abandon its proposal, but he "was suggesting that North Cowichan take a second look at this alternative."

Ald. Brigitte Meagher said she thought the CVRD was about to sign an agreement with the Indians, "but the idea of using garbage to provide heat for the industrial park, was a wonderful idea."

Ald. Margaret Robertson agreed with Ald. Meagher, and thought that Bruce's idea showed "a great deal of merit."

She said: "We are not closing any door to the CVRD. We looked for their co-operation concerning incinerators 10 years ago."

Ald. Ron McKinnon thought that North Cowichan should exercise caution in its dealings with the CVRD.

He said: "I'm not sure that we should get any more involved with the regional district than we are already. The regional boards are having their difficulties across this province."

"I still think we should maintain our own incineration. As far as incineration goes, we lead the district. We are pioneers in this field."

Mayor George Whittaker said the "stumbling block"

as far as the CVRD was concerned was the proposed tax base.

"We have made an offer to participate, but only on the condition that the tax is based on general purposes, not the school tax."

Ald. Robertson said she had personally phoned the regional directors to explain North Cowichan's position perfectly.

Council moved that it reaffirm its decision that it would only participate in the CVRD incinerator function on a general-purposes tax base.

Meanwhile, the aldermen discussed CVRD's intention to place all functions on a school-purposes tax base.

Ald. Rex Hollett said: "When this comes to a vote at the regional board, McKinnon and I know that we will stand alone."

"If this goes through, I see it covering a multitude of sins. There could be a change by order-in-council that would make it retroactive to include all the functions in which we (North Cowichan) participate."

McKinnon said: "If CVRD want to go to the school tax base, they can. But all North Cowichan has to do is opt out of the various functions."



Lang undercuts PM on noose referendum call

OTTAWA (CP) — Justice Minister Otto Lang did not obtain the consent of Prime Minister Trudeau or the cabinet before publicly suggesting there be a national referendum on capital punishment.

Lang told reporters Wednesday the issue had still to be discussed in cabinet. He refused to speculate on what cabinet discord might result from his surprise suggestion, which first surfaced in the

news media earlier in the day.

Normally, a minister does not publicly make suggestions on such controversial questions as capital punishment without prior discussion in cabinet or with the prime minister.

Trudeau has opposed a referendum in the past and has not changed his mind, one of the prime minister's chief aides said.

"Lang is entitled to that

opinion but he is not speaking for the cabinet," the aide said.

As a cabinet meeting ended early Wednesday afternoon, ministers refused comment on their colleague's proposal.

Lang tried to play down opposition by Trudeau to the idea of a referendum.

The prime minister has reacted negatively to the suggestion before because "I think he has the view that we

don't ordinarily use referendums," Lang said.

Trudeau said at a news conference last April that Parliament had abolished the death penalty in 1976 "and as far as I'm concerned, the issue is settled."

The cabinet had voted unanimously in 1976 to abolish the death penalty. Regular MPs from all parties were allowed to vote according to their consciences rather than follow partisan lines.

Walter Baker, Conservative House leader, accused the prime minister of having cajoled his cabinet into voting as a block.

"The prime minister's henchmen also used strong-arm tactics to ensure a victory for abolition during the last Commons vote," Baker said in a prepared statement reacting to Lang's proposal.

Baker described Lang's

suggestion as "a new low for a minister who has made a career of shooting from the lip."

Since the Commons vote, many MPs have said there is widespread discontent in their ridings to abolition. Whenever Conservative MPs, including former prime minister John Diefenbaker, have proposed holding a referendum, the government shot down the suggestion.

In April, a Gallup poll

showed that 82 per cent of those sampled wanted a referendum on capital punishment. Sixty-eight per cent of those polled wanted a return of the death penalty.

Lang said he made his suggestion because there was "discord between the law and what it appears people want."

The minister said he still opposed capital punishment, but wanted the government to adopt the attitude of the

majority decision in a referendum.

"In my view, the purpose of a referendum would be to abide by its results."

A national referendum has not been held since the conscription issue during the Second World War. That vote, which allowed the government to draft soldiers despite overwhelming opposition by French-Canadians, caused a serious rift within the country.

SEPT. 22

Carriers set walkout date

ISLAND COUPLE CLAIMS MILLION

A Nanose couple Wednesday became the first major Canadian lottery winner from Vancouver Island.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bagley walked into the Western Lottery office in Winnipeg Wednesday and claimed their \$1 million prize from the Provincial draw of July 30.

This marks the first time anyone from Vancouver Island has won \$1 million since lotteries were introduced in Canada.

Lottery officials said that Bagleys waited this long to claim the prize "for reasons of their own."

Bagley is 60 years old and a retired chemical engineer.

His wife Pauline, 56, purchased the prize-winning ticket.

OTTAWA (CP) — Letter carriers have set a Sept. 22 strike deadline in their contract dispute with the government.

Robert McGarry, president of the Letter Carriers Union of Canada, said Wednesday the 19,000 members have voted 82 per cent in favor of a strike if contract demands are not met.

The union already is in a legal strike position, however McGarry said he is reluctant to order a strike if settlement can be reached without a work stoppage.

"We feel we have to give the government a chance to come back to the table," McGarry said at a news conference.

McGarry said letter carriers have not gone on strike in a contract dispute since 1970.

"The union regrets having to withdraw the services of its members and understands the serious effect of such action. However, the union has made efforts in every way possible to reach a settlement with the employer."

Although the letter carriers are no longer covered by anti-inflation wage guides, McGarry said they are willing to settle for a six-per-cent increase in basic salary as long as there also is full protection from past and future inflation.

Postmaster-General Gilles Lamontagne said later in a news release that his department "will do our utmost to avoid a strike," but acknowledged "we are obviously far apart."

His release said the union

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Ford indicted for homicide in Pinto crash

GOSHEN, Ind. (UPI) — A grand jury Wednesday indicted Ford Motor Co. for reckless homicide and criminal recklessness, charging poor design was partly to blame for a fiery auto crash that killed three occupants of a Ford Pinto.

Ford officials immediately denied the charges.

"We believe this unprecedented action was unwarranted and that the company has not violated any of the laws of Indiana," said Henry Nolte, Ford vice president and general counsel, in a brief statement from Ford's Detroit headquarters.

"After we have studied the indictment, we will take appropriate action."

Ford was charged with three counts of reckless homicide, a felony, and one count of criminal recklessness, a misdemeanor. Each count carries a maximum \$10,000 fine upon conviction.

The Elkhart County grand jury did not indict individual Ford officers.

The company was given 10 days to respond to the charges before an arraignment date is set.

Ford has come under criticism for alleged fuel-system design problems in the Pinto. Federal safety experts have charged the fuel-tank and filler-pipe design on the Pinto makes the auto more susceptible to explosions in rear end collisions.

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration figures show at least 59 persons have been killed in fiery crashes involving Pintos.

The indictment was the result of a grand jury investigation into an Aug. 10 crash on U.S. 33 near Elkhart. A Pinto carrying three young women had pulled to the side of the road and was struck in the rear by a van.

The Pinto burst into flames and killed Judy Ulrich, 18, Osceola, her sister, Lynn, 16, and their cousin, Donna M. Ulrich, Roanoke, Ill.

The grand jury refused to bring charges against the driver of the van.

Instead, the panel levelled its sights at Ford, saying the automaker's failure to make fuel-system improvements and repairs was a contributing factor in the deaths.

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It's white in Alberta

PINCHER CREEK, Alta. (CP) — The season's first wintry storm brought up to 10 centimetres of wet snow Wednesday to some locations west of this community, 80 kilometres west of Lethbridge.

Recreation and Conservation Minister Sam Bawlf refused Wednesday to comment on whether he has ever used drugs, saying only that "I was young once."

Bawlf made the statement during a news conference after his name was mentioned several times during a drug trafficking trial in Victoria County Court this week.

Attorney-General Garde

A 19-year-old Duncan youth tried in vain to save his brother Wednesday following a freak accident at a water well drilling site.

Paul Andrew Slade watched in horror as a drilling rig toppled onto Brian Kenneth Slade, 21, as the two prepared to drill a well on a private property seven miles west of Shawnigan Lake Road on the Renfrew Road.

The mishap occurred at 3:45 p.m. An RCMP spokesman at Shawnigan Lake said Slade, also of Duncan, was dead by the time police arrived at the scene.

The accident occurred at a time when Brian was preparing to go on holidays. His father, Kenneth Slade Sr., told the *Colonist* that Brian and Sandra, his wife of two years, were to have left Friday on a trip to Disneyland.

"I've been in the business 30 years and there's never been a serious accident like this before," said the father, whose firm—

Drillwell Enterprises—employed his two sons. "It was a freak accident."

He said he understood Brian wasn't happy with the original attempt to set the rig up on a slight slope and had used the hydraulic levelling jack to let it down again.

"He was apparently re-arranging the blocks under one leg when the whole thing slipped back on him," Slade Sr. said.

He said he had been told the rig struck his son at the base of the skull, knocking his hard hat off.

"His brother radioed in right away to me and said: 'Brian's been hurt—get an ambulance quick.' Then he went back and got him out."

But it was too late. Brian was already dead or dying.

The father said Brian was well known in the Duncan area. He was a long-time rugby player and had taken part in a game just last Sunday.

\$115 fine for killing black who fetched wrong brand

PRETORIA (AP) — A white man who killed a black man because the black brought him the wrong brand of cigarettes was sentenced Wednesday to pay a fine of \$115 or serve 30 days in jail.

Hermans Louw, 27, was convicted on a charge of assault.

Court testimony shows that Louw and John Mokwena worked for a car rental agency.

Louw told Mokwena to go buy him a pack of cigarettes and Mokwena returned with the wrong brand, witnesses said. That made Louw angry and he hit Mokwena, the court was told.

Another employee of the firm, Mrs. J. P. de Bruto, said Louw kicked Mokwena after he was down. Louw said that was not true.

"Were you cross?" asked Magistrate W. J. Van den Berg.

"Yes," Louw replied.

"Why didn't you do him further injury then?" the magistrate asked.

"I wish I could have," Louw replied.

Passing sentence, Van den Berg said: "A reasonable man could not have foreseen that the blow Louw struck could possibly have led to Mr. Mokwena's death."

He said Mokwena's death,

therefore, would not be considered in imposing the sentence on the assault charge.

Carter presses talks

CAMP DAVID, Md. (AP) — President Carter, cancelling an appearance at a White House party, intensified his efforts Wednesday to complete a formula for more Middle East negotiations after the Camp David summit talks, which is drawing to a close.

The formula, tentatively entitled *Framework of Negotiations*, deals with the fu-

B.C. 'not serious' so Skagit dam rise proceeding

SEATTLE (AP) — Seattle City Light will proceed with plans to raise the height of Ross Dam, superintendent Gordon Vickery said Wednesday, because B.C. was not serious about negotiations concerning the dam.

The City Light plan to add 36.6 metres to the top of the structure has been opposed by Canadians because it would flood 5,000 acres of B.C.'s Skagit Valley, about 145 kilometres east of Vancouver.

Provincial officials and city representatives have met off and on for several years in an effort to negotiate a settlement.

"I don't think the Canadians have any serious interest in negotiating," Vickery said. "I have not seen any indication in the meetings I have attended or in correspondence that there is a serious effort up there to negotiate."

draw Jordan eventually into the U.S.-led peace process.

"We are obviously approaching the final stages," said Jody Powell, the summit spokesman, in an over-all assessment of the eight-day old conference among the leaders of the United States, Egypt and Israel. "I can't imagine any more intensive period of discussions."

I endured too long in silence—Bawlf

Gardom said Tuesday that early in 1976, his ministry had conducted an investigation of Bawlf for possible involvement in the drug trade and found the allegations to be based on rumor and innuendo, and there was no evidence to support them.

"I was not in any way associated with anybody involved in drug dealings," said the minister.

Bawlf said that the sugges-

tions during the trial of James William Buckner that he was involved in the drug trade were made as a red herring to turn the trial into a circus and distract from the charges.

Buckner was convicted Wednesday of conspiracy to traffic in cannabis resin and possession of the drug for the purpose of trafficking. (See trial story, Page 32.)

Bawlf said he "would hope

in the future, for the sake of all public officials, the people could be more considerate."

Asked if he was surprised that he was checked out by police, Bawlf said the police "must always be vigilant," that he did not resent the check and that he was subsequently advised by Gardom that he had been completely cleared.

Bawlf said the major mistake he had made in the past

was in allowing the rumors to grow unchecked.

"I endured too long in silence, feeling there was no defence against rumor and innuendo," he said. "The rumors started so long ago. I should have spoken before."

"Those rumors were sometimes spread by people who should have known better. I just felt there was nothing I could do to defend myself against innuendo."

Asked if he had ever used

drugs, Bawlf said, "I was young once." He refused to elaborate by saying, "I don't want to get into that kind of discussion."

Bawlf was also asked if he had ever seen the police report prepared in 1976. He said he had not. Asked if he would object to publication of the report, he answered, "I have no objection to anything the attorney-general sees fit to make public."

